

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3162A.

The 28th October 1886.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Baboo Nundo Laul Mullick of his appointment of Honorary Magistrate of the Sealdah Bench, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs.

The 29th October 1886.—Baboo Sitakant Mookerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dinagepore, is vested with powers under sections 110 and 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Baboos Mohesh Narain Munsbi and Chunder Kissore Munshi of their appointments as Honorary Magistrates of the Municipal Bench at Sherepore, in the district of Bogra.

Baboos Saroda Chandra Mozumdar and Madhu Sudan Choudhuri are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates of the Municipal Bench at Sherepore, in the district of Bogra, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

The 30th October 1886.—Baboo Dino Nath Dey, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kurigram, Rungpore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Baboo Kali Kumar Roy, Officiating Sub-Deputy Collector, Khoorda, Pooree, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

GRANT OF LEAVE TO MUNSIFS.—*The 25th October 1886.*—Baboo Atool Chunder Ghose, late First Munsif of Brahmanberiah, in the district of Tipperah, is allowed leave under section 73, rule 3, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, from the 5th to the 10th August 1886, inclusive.

The 1st November 1886.—Baboo Woopendro Chunder Ghose, Munsif of Kotulpore, in the district of Bankoora, is allowed leave for three months, under section 130, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 8th instant, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

Baboo Tara Prosono Ghose, Munsif of Khattria, in the district of Bankoora, is allowed leave for three months, under section 123, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 8th instant.

F. B. PEACOCK,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT—GENERAL.

The 1st November 1886.

No. 400.—*Posting.*—With reference to Bengal Government Notification No. 369 of the 30th September 1886, Mr. W. B. Gwyther, Assistant Engineer, first grade, is temporarily posted to the 3rd Calcutta Division, which he joined on the 1st ultimo.

No. 401.—*Notification.*—The following notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is re-published for information:—

No. 275, dated 21st October 1886.—The following promotions are made in the Superior Accounts Establishment:—

NAMES.	From.	To.	With effect from.
Mr. A. R. Beeher	Examiner, third class (temporary).	Examiner, third class (sub. pro tem).	20th September 1886.

RAILWAY.

The 1st November 1886.

No. 402.—*Declaration.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for public purposes, viz., for railway works at Sultanpur and Haldibari stations of the Northern Bengal State Railway, it is hereby declared that for the above purposes two pieces of land measuring respectively 30½ poles and 3 roads and 28 poles, more or less, of standard measurement, are required in zillah Bogra, pergunnah Khutta, mouzah Seetahar, and zillah Cooch Behar, pergunnah Raheemgunj, mouzah Haldibari.

2. This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

No. 403.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for doubling the Chitpore Branch line of the Eastern Bengal State Railway in the mouzahs of Belgachea and Talla, pergunnah Dehi Punchannogram, zillah 24-Pergunnahs, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose 9 plots of land measuring, more or less, 45 bigahs 4 cottahs 7 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded as noted below, are required within the aforesaid mouzahs of Belgachea and Talla.

Sheet No. 1—Plot No. 1.—In the village of Nothunpara, measuring, more or less, 1 bigah 18 cottahs 2 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north and east by land belonging to Baboo Preo Nath Mitter, and on the south and west by land belonging to Eastern Bengal State Railway.

Plot No. 2.—In the village of Nothunpara, measuring, more or less, 1 bigah 4 cottahs 9 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north, east, and west by land belonging to the Eastern Bengal State Railway, and on the south by land belonging to Baboo Preo Nath Mitter.

Plot No. 3.—In the villages of Khatmai Bagan and Pala Bagan, measuring, more or less, 2 bigahs 7 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by land belonging to Bhugwan Dhoby, Narain Bysack, Dhenda Churn Dass, Poran Dutt, Ram Dass, Jodoo Nath Chowdhury, Kali Churn Biswas, and Kali Churn Banerjee, on the south and west by the Eastern Bengal State Railway, and on the east by the Belgachea Road.

Plot No. 4.—In the village of Porisnath Bagan, measuring, more or less, 15 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north and east by the Belgachea Road, on the south by land belonging to Eastern Bengal State Railway, and on the west by land belonging to Nilmoney Chakrabutty, Deno Nath Maithee, and Chooney Lall Johurree.

Plot No. 5.—In the village of Talla, measuring, more or less, 18 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Eastern Bengal State Railway, on the east and south by the Belgachea Road, and on the west by land belonging to Jadoo Nath Chowdhury and Atul Kristo Mitter and Company.

Plot No. 6.—In the village Bibi Bagan, measuring, more or less, 19 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Eastern Bengal State Railway, on the south and west by the Belgachea Road, and on the east by land belonging to Thakoor Das Mistry, Jogendra Nath and Nogendra Nath Kar, Ram Chundra Ghose, Girish Chundra Sodear, Shib Chundra Das, Jhurree Parsee, H. C. Chowdhury, Lal Khan, Kedar Nath Ghose, Jogendra Shaha, and Modoosudun Chatterjee.

Plot No. 7.—In the village of Belgachea, measuring, more or less, 18 cottahs of standard measurement bounded on the west and north by the Belgachea Road, on the south by temple land, and on the east by land belonging to Korum Chand Khotta, Poran, Koylas, Dhuranee, Prosunno Kumar Dutt, Chomun Khotta, Baboo Lal Ghose, Bechashad Khan, Nobin Chunder Dey and Company, Mungal Bewa, Gooni Money Bewa, and Paran Das.

Diversion land.—In the village of Chota Bagan, measuring, more or less, 1 bigah and 10 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the west by the Belgachea Road, on the east by kutchra road, and on the north and south by land belonging to Chota Nath Dey.

Plot No. 8.—In the villages of Chota Bagan and Ooltadanga, measuring, more or less, 2 bigahs 2 cottahs 13 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the south and east by Eastern Bengal State Railway, on the west by Belgachea Road and on the north by land belonging to Ram Kumad Manai, Nobin Chundra Banerjee, Rakhal Banerjee, Narain Das, Modon Ghose, Gobinda Bewa, Modhoo Shaw, Chota Nath Dey, Sham Das Bairagee, Kartic, Mungle, Hurry Churn Dey, Tara Chand Mistry, Narain Dassie Bewa, Jago Bewa, Khetter Mitter, Horoo Nath Sircar, and Chumutkar Mitter.

Sheet No. 2.—In the villages of Belgachea and Dukhindari, measuring, more or less, 33 bigahs 1 cottah 5 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north and west by land belonging to Preo Nath Mitter, Adanath Bostom, Beejoo Mondol, Protap Paramanick, Rakhal Paramanick, Rajendra Nath Pal, Anath Nath Deb, Dwarka Nath Bairagee, and Bhojo Hurry Das, on the east by the Dukhindari road, and on the south by the land belonging to Eastern Bengal State Railway.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

No. 404.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for filling up a gap at 240 chains on the diversion from 145 miles to Katta Khal, Goalundo, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the mouzahs of Chur Pachooora and Kachimea, pergunnah Kachimnagore, zillah Furreedpore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land measuring, more or less, 13 bigahs 19 cottahs 8 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Kachimea, on the south by Chur Pachooora and Chota Bakla, on the west by Kachimea, and on the east by the Katta Khal, is required within the aforesaid mouzahs of Chur Pachooora and Kachimea.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 2nd November 1886.

No. 405.—Notification.—The following notifications, issued by the Government of India, Public Works Department, are republished for information.

No. 282, the 25th October 1886.—Mr. T. Concannon, Executive Engineer, 4th grade, temporary rank, Burma, temporarily employed on State Railways in Bengal, is retransferred to Burma.

No. 283, the 25th October 1886.—Messrs E. J. Alexander and E. T. Faulkner, Assistant Engineers, 1st grade, State Railways, are transferred from the establishment under the Government of Bengal to that under the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

No. 289, the 28th October 1886.—Major A. D. McArthur, R.E., Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary rank, reverted to his substantive rank of Executive Engineer, 1st grade, from the forenoon of the 20th October 1886.

No. 293, the 28th October 1886.—Mr. J. J. Kenoy, Traffic Candidate, is transferred from the establishment under the control of the Government of Bengal to that under the Director-General of Railways.

No. 406.—Notification.—The services of Mr. W. H. Nightingale, Executive Engineer, 1st grade, are placed at the disposal of the Commissioner of the Bhagulpore Division for employment as Divisional Superintendent of District Works.

No. 407.—Appointment.—Mr. J. C. White is appointed to be Executive Engineer of the Darjeeling Division until further orders.

No. 408.—Notification.—The following notification, issued by the Government of India, Military Department, is republished for information.

No. 702, dated 22nd October 1886.—The undermentioned officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Secretary of State for India.

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Sub-Conductor J. Owens, P. W. D. (m. c.) for three months.

S. T. TREVOR, Col. R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. Dept.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 8747, dated 2nd November 1886.—Surgeon-Major E. G. Russell made over charge of the Hooghly Jail to Assistant Surgeon B. N. Chowdhry on the afternoon of the 21st October 1886.

A. D. LARMORE,
Deputy Inspector-General of Jails, Bengal.

Sheriff's Office, the 3rd November 1886.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Criminal Sessions of the year 1886 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the first day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

GEORGE YULE, Sheriff.

শরীফ আফিস সন ১৮৮৬ সাল তারিখ ৩ নবেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে স্বৰ্বে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়াম জর্জের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের কোর্টের বিচার লিপ্ততা জন্য আগামী সন ১৮৮৬ সালের ১লা ডিসেম্বর বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্যন্ত সেলিয়ানের কার্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৮৬ সালের যষ্ঠ ক্রিমিনেল সেলিয়ানে বসিবেক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদীর বিরুদ্ধে কোর্টের বিচার করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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CALCUTTA SMALL CAUSE COURT.

NOTICE.

IN accordance with suggestions contained in a report to the High Court, signed by Mr. Justice Wilson and Mr. Justice Trevelyan, on their inspection of the Calcutta Small Cause Court, a new system will, on and after the 28th October 1886, be tried for the purpose of revising the list of cases which come daily into the court.

All summons cases will, on the returnable date of the summons, come before one only of the Judges, who will revise the whole list of the court for each day.

He will go through the list, enter "compromises," make decrees in cases in which the defendant does not appear, give fresh summonses in cases where the summons has not been served, grant necessary postponements, ascertain what causes are defended, and dispose of any cases which, in his judgment, can be disposed of summarily.

This would leave the whole time of the other Judges free for the trial of defended causes. The defended causes will be assigned by the Judge revising the list to the lists of the different Judges on the earliest possible days, and will be adjourned by him to those days. The Judge revising the list will have before him the list of each Judge for each day, so far as already filled up, and will arrange that there should always be a sufficient number of cases, say 25 or 30, on each Judge's list. Each of the other Judges will thus have each day his list of defended cases provided for him. When a second summons has been granted, the case will, on the new return day, come again before the Judge who revises the list for that day.

If under this system a Judge should at any time find his list becoming clogged, he will communicate with the revising Judge, and inform the latter that he must have a day or days left clear to enable him to pull up. Thus if on the first of the month a Judge finds that his lists were getting blocked, and that it will take a day to get them clear, he will tell the revising Judge that this is the case. The latter, when revising the lists of the Judge in question, may see that they are already filled, say up to the 9th: he will leave the 10th blank. The Judge who had found himself blocked, knowing that the 10th would be a clear day, will use his discretion: he will either go on as usual up to the 10th, trusting to clear himself on that day, or will adjourn a sufficient number of cases to that day to enable him to take the other cases as nearly as possible on their proper dates.

ADJOURNMENTS.

No "costs of the day" will be allowed on adjournments.

Nor will adjournments be allowed, even by consent, except upon good cause shown.

By order of the Court,

COURT OF SMALL CAUSES OF CALCUTTA, }
The 28th July 1886.

C. Y. C. BOLST,
Clerk of the Court.

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

UNDER section 14, Act XI of 1865, notice is hereby given that, subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes at Magoorah, Jhenidah, and Narail will, during the month of December 1886, sit in those Courts on the dates mentioned below—

Magoorah Small Cause Court	...	From 1st to 4th and from 12th to 16th December 1886.
Jhenidah ditto ditto	...	From 5th to 11th December 1886.
Narail ditto ditto	...	From 17th to 31st December 1886.

Travelling, Sundays, and holidays excepted.

MOHENDRO NATH BOSE, *Judge.*

NARAIL SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 30th October 1886.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Behar Circle.

Notice to Private Students and Teachers who wish to appear at the next Entrance Examination

APPLICATIONS from those who wish to appear at the next Entrance Examination as private students or as teachers must reach the undersigned not later than the 31st December 1886.

Each application must be accompanied by a certificate from the Head Master of the last school at which the applicant (whether student or teacher) read, showing the class from which he left, and that all dues have been paid.

In the case of a teacher, a certificate must be produced, showing that he is a *bond fide* teacher, and has not temporarily taken up a teachership, paid or honorary, merely to appear at the examination.

Those whose applications are accepted, whether students or teachers, will have to appear at the test examination of the nearest zillah school and pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the Head Master. If they pass the examination, their applications to the Registrar of the University will be countersigned.

JOHN VAN SOMEREN POPE,
Inspector of Schools, Behar Circle.

BANKIPUR, the 25th September 1886.

NOTICE.

It is hereby notified that at the next Half-yearly Examination of Junior Civilians, Deputy Magistrates, &c., to commence on Monday, the 8th November 1886, four Local Committees will be convened in this division, viz. (1) at No. 14, Hare Street, Calcutta, for officers stationed in the Presidency or employed in the 24-Pergunnahs, (1) at Kishnagur for officers employed in the Nuddea district, (1) at Jessore Sudder station for officers employed in that district, and (1) at Berhampore for officers employed in Moorshedabad district.

A. N. BHATTACHARJEE, *Personal Assistant, for Commissioner.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1197B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 1884-85, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall-street, on Wednesday, the 3rd November 1886, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,500 chests, viz.—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory	...	2,350
Ditto at the Ghazee pore Factory	...	2,150
Total	...	4,500

2nd. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 30th November 1885, and published in the *Government and Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 18th November 1886, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 8th November 1886, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Thursday, the 18th November 1886.

4th. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazee pore Factories will be brought to sale up to December next about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Manufactured at the Patna Factory, about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazee pore Factory, about chests.	Total about chests.
On or about Thursday, 2nd December 1886 ...	2,350	2,150	4,500

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

C. E. BUCKLAND, *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L.P., FORT WILLIAM, the 28th September 1886.

No. 1238B.

NOTIFICATION.

UNDER the powers conferred by section 17 of the Sea Customs Act VIII of 1878, the chief Customs authority of the Presidency has fixed Panch-parah as the station or place at which vessels laden with general cargo, and not precluded by Rules 13 to 22 issued under Act XII of 1875, and published at pages 826 to 832,

CUSTOMS.

F. M. HALLEDAY, ESQ.

Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 14th July 1886 from proceeding to any moorings at Calcutta, arriving at or departing from this Port, shall be required to bring to for the boarding or landing of officers of Customs. In the case of vessels laden wholly or partially with petroleum which, under the notification of the Government of Bengal, dated 24th June 1886, and the rules under Act XII of 1875, referred to above, is required to be landed at Budge-Budge, the chief Customs authority has appointed Budge-Budge, the southern limit of the Port of Calcutta, as the station or place under section 17 of the Act for the purposes aforesaid.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

C. E. BUCKLAND, *Officiating Secretary.*

CALCUTTA, the 14th October 1886.

No. 1282B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1884-85, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall-street, on Thursday the 2nd December 1886, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,500 chests, viz. :—

		Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory	...	2,350
Ditto, ditto at the Ghazee-pore Factory	...	2,150
Total	...	4,500

2nd. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 30th November 1885, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 7th and 17th December 1886, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 7th December 1886, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Friday, the 17th December 1886.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

C. E. BUCKLAND, *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L.P., Fort William, the 25th October 1886.



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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 3170A.

GENERAL.—*The 28th October 1886.*—Baboo Dina Nath Mukerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Shahabad, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector, under section 4, Act VII (B.C.) of 1880, in that district.

The 30th October 1886.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. S. Finney of his commission as Captain-Commandant of the "Dacca Volunteer Rifles."

Lieutenant William Booth is appointed to act as Captain-Commandant of the "Dacca Volunteer Rifles," during the absence, on leave, of Captain F. Wyer, or until further orders, with effect from the date on which he received charge of that appointment.

The 1st November 1886.—Mr. S. J. Douglas, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Chittagong, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, with effect from the 21st ultimo.

Mr. H. W. Barber, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nowada, Gya, is allowed leave for three months, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Baboo Chunder Bhoosun Chuckerbutty, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Noakholly, on leave, is transferred to Gya, and is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Nowada sub-division of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. H. W. Barber, or until further orders.

Mr. D. Norton, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the Sudder station of the district of Shahabad, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Gya.

The 3rd November 1886.—Mr. T. R. Godfrey is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the fourth grade, *vice* Mr. M. J. W. Augier, and is posted to Chandbally, in Balasore.

Mr. Godfrey is vested with the powers of a Deputy Collector.

Baboo Nogendro Nath Pal Chowdry, Temporary Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajshahye, is promoted temporarily to the sixth grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, with effect from the 24th September 1886, *vice* Baboo Nogendro Nath Sircar on deputation as Head Assistant, Bengal Secretariat, Revenue Department.

Mr. K. G. Gupta, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the Sudder station of the district of Nuddea.

This cancels the order of the 25th October 1886, posting Mr. Gupta to Midnapore.

Baboo Bhoobuneshwar Singh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Satkhira, Khoolna, is allowed leave for one month and thirteen days, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Baboo Khagendra Nath Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Khoolna, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Satkhira sub-division of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Bhoobuneshwar Singh, or until further orders.

Baboo Nibarun Chunder Ghattach, Temporary Sub-Deputy Collector, Bettiah, Chumparun, is transferred to Seetamurhee in Mozufferpore.

Baboo Charu Chandra Mitra, Temporary Sub-Deputy Collector, Seetamurhee, Mozufferpore, is transferred to Bettiah in Chumparun.

Mr. H. Thompson, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajmehal, Sontal Pergunnahs, is transferred to the Sudder station of the district of Dinagepore.

Mr. T. Inglis, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is transferred to the Sontal Pergunnahs, and is appointed to have charge of the Rajmehal sub-division of that district, on being relieved of his present appointment by Mr. E. B. Harris.

The 9th November 1886.—Mr. E. E. Lowis, Officiating Commissioner, Burdwan Division, is appointed to be Commissioner of the Rajshahye Division, with effect from the 1st October 1886.

Mr. W. R. Larminie, Officiating Commissioner, Dacca Division, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 1st October 1886, *vice* Lord H. Ulick Browne, retired.

Mr. T. Norman, Magistrate and Collector, Mozufferpore, is promoted to the first grade of Magistrates and Collectors, with effect from the 1st October 1886, *vice* Mr. W. R. Larminie.

Mr. R. M. Waller, Magistrate and Collector, Noakhally, is promoted to the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors, with effect from the 1st October 1886, *vice* Mr. T. Norman.

Mr. C. A. Samuells is appointed to be a Magistrate and Collector of the third grade, with effect from the 1st October 1886, *vice* Mr. R. M. Waller, but will continue to act, until further orders, in the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors and as Collector of Customs, Calcutta.

Mr. G. A. Grierson, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on furlough, is promoted to the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, with effect from the 1st October 1886, *vice* Mr. C. A. Samuells.

Mr. F. R. S. Collier, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Rungpore, is appointed to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the second grade, with effect from the 1st October 1886, *vice* Mr. G. A. Grierson, but will continue to act, until further orders, in his present appointment.

Mr. Collier is also promoted to the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, with effect from the 22nd October 1886, *vice* Mr. H. Gillon, deceased, but will continue to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector of Rungpore.

Mr. B. Dé is appointed to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the second grade, with effect from the 22nd October 1886, *vice* Mr. F. R. S. Collier, but will continue to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

Mr. H. Lee, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Pubna.

Mr. C. R. Marriott, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Rajshahye, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector of that district.

Baboo Surjya Kumar Das is appointed to be a Special Deputy Collector for employment on butwara work in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the date on which he joined his appointment.

Mr. G. M. Currie, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Pooree, is allowed furlough for one year, under section 52, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Baboo Shib Chunder Nag, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Maldah, is allowed leave for three months, under sections 72 and 74, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Baboo Sheonundun Lall Roy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Patna, is transferred to the Sudder station of the district of Maldah.

Mr. L. Hare, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan, is appointed to act in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Maldah.

POLICE.—*The 2nd November 1886.*—Mr. W. F. Smith, District Superintendent of Police, Midnapore, is allowed leave for one year, under section 128, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

The 3rd November 1886.—The services of Colonel W. Gordon, District Superintendent of Police, Howrah, on furlough, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, in the Military Department, with effect from the 15th July last.

The 4th November 1886.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. R. Wilkinson, Officiating Deputy Inspector-General of Police, is appointed to act as Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, during the absence, on furlough, of Mr. J. Lambert, C.I.E., or until further orders, with effect from the 1st instant.

The 9th November 1886.—Mr. J. B. Goad, District Superintendent of Police, is posted to Midnapore, with effect from the date on which he joined his appointment.

REGISTRATION.—*The 9th November 1886.*—Baboo Protap Chunder Ghose, District Registrar of Assurances and Registrar of Joint-Stock Companies, Calcutta, is allowed leave for forty-five days, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Baboo Nilmoney Dey is appointed to act as District Registrar of Assurances and Registrar of Joint-Stock Companies, Calcutta, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Protap Chunder Ghose, or until further orders.

JAILS.—*The 4th November 1886.*—Lieutenant-Colonel A. R. Wilkinson, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is appointed to be a Visitor of the Alipore Jail, and also, under section 12 of Act V of 1876, to be a Member of the Board of Management of the Reformatory School established at Alipore for the reception and industrial training of juvenile offenders, *vice* Mr. J. Lambert, C.I.E., on furlough.

The 9th November 1886.—Mr. P. Donaldson, Officiating Superintendent, Presidency Jail, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. W. Leonard, Superintendent, Presidency Jail, on furlough, is appointed to be Superintendent of the Bhagulpore Central Jail.

Mr. W. a'C. Beadon, Superintendent, Bhagulpore Central Jail, is appointed to be Superintendent of the Midnapore Central Jail.

Mr. C. H. C. Sevenoaks, Superintendent, Midnapore Central Jail, is appointed to be Superintendent of the Buxar Central Jail.

EDUCATION.—*The 30th October 1886.*—Moulvie Fazlul Karim, B.L., is appointed to be a member of the District School Committee of Noakhally.

The 4th November 1886.—Mr. A. Pedler, Professor, Presidency College, is allowed leave for three months, under sections 72 and 73—2, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 24th instant.

The 9th November 1886.—Baboo Koylash Chunder Sen, Assistant Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division, is allowed leave for one month, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

CUSTOMS.—*The 3rd November 1886.*—Mr. T. R. Godfrey, Temporary Sub-Deputy Collector, Chandbally, Balasore, is also appointed temporarily under Act VIII of 1878 to be Customs Officer of the port of Chandbally.

OPIUM.—*The 1st November 1886.*—Mr. W. Kemble, c.s., has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough for one month.

MEDICAL.—*The 3rd November 1886.*—Surgeon D. W. D. Comins, Officiating Civil Surgeon, Burdwan, acted as Resident Surgeon, Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, from the 3rd to the 10th May 1886, both days inclusive.

The 9th November 1886.—Surgeon R. Cobb, Civil Surgeon, Hazaribagh, is appointed to act as Civil Surgeon of Hooghly, during the absence, on furlough, of Surgeon-Major W. H. Gregg, or until further orders.

F. B. PEACOCK,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 9th November 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 70).

CEYLON—EAST COAST.

TRINCOMALI HARBOUR.

Vessels prohibited from anchoring near the Sub-Marine Mining Operation between Ostenburg Point and Little Sober Island.

THE Colonial Government, Ceylon, has given notice that on and after the 1st November 1886, until the 28th February 1887, a red buoy with a red flag, and the words *Torpedo buoy* painted on it, will be placed at the entrance to Trincomali Harbour between Ostenburg Point and Little Sober Island to mark the boundary of the Sub-Marine Mining Field.

This buoy is laid at a distance of 250 yards from Little Sober Island, the waterway on the triangle formed by buoy, N. E. point of Great Sober Island and Clappenburg Point being obstructed by mines.

Caution.—Masters of vessels and others are warned that they should pass between the buoy and Ostenburg Point.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 8th November 1886.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 9th November 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 71).

SOUTH COAST OF ARABIA.

GULF OF ADEN.

OUTER HARBOUR OF ADEN.

Sunken Wreck westward of Aden Lightship.

INFORMATION has been received from the Director of the Indian Marine, Bombay, that a steam-vessel lies sunk in a position dangerous to shipping with Aden lightship bearing East, distant 1,100 yards.

The wreck is in about 25 feet at low-water spring tides, with her mast-heads just above water.

The bearing is magnetic.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, I.M.,

Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 8th November 1886.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 2nd November 1886.—The following Notices to Mariners are published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 62).

RED SEA—COAST OF ABYSSINIA.

BAB-EL-MANDEB STRAITS.

PERIM ISLAND.

Repairs to Obstruction Point Light.

NOTICE is hereby given on the authority of the Port Officer, Aden, that alterations to the occulting light on Obstruction Point, Perim Island, have commenced, and that they will be completed in about one month. During this time the light will probably be very bright from the bearings of N. 42° W. through West to S. 8° E., except between the bearings of N. 67° W. and N. 69° W., between S. 69° W. and S. 65° W., and between S. 22° W. and S. 18° W. where the light becomes very dim and no occultation is visible.

Further notice concerning this light will be given.

The bearings are magnetic, and are given from seaward.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.,*

Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 28th October 1886.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 63).

INDIA—WEST COAST.

KONKAN DISTRICT.

BANKOT PORT.

Replacement of Bar Buoy.

THE Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, has intimated that the buoy, marking the entrance to the Bankot port, which had broken adrift, was replaced in position on the 24th September 1886.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.,*

Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 28th October 1886.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 64).

INDIA—WEST COAST.

KONKAN DISTRICT.

JAYTAPUR PORT.

Replacement of Bar Buoy.

THE Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, reports that the buoy, marking the entrance to the Jaytápúr port, which had broken adrift, was replaced in position on the 8th October 1886.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.,*

Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 28th October 1886.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 65).

INDIA, WEST COAST.

KONKAN DISTRICT.

ALIBAG PORT.

Replacement of Bar Buoy.

INFORMATION has been received from the Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, that the buoy, marking the entrance to the port of Alibág, which had broken adrift, was replaced in position on the 13th October 1886.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.,*

Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 28th October 1886.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 66).

INDIA, WEST COAST.

KONKAN DISTRICT.

MALVAN PORT.

Replacement of the Red Buoy.

WITH reference to Notices to Mariners, Nos. 9 and 13, issued from this Department on the 25th February and 8th March 1886, respectively, the Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, has notified that the *Red* buoy, known as the Johnston-Castle buoy, at the entrance to the port of Malvan, which had broken adrift, was replaced in the same position on the 27th September 1886.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.,*

Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 28th October 1886.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 67).

INDIA, WEST COAST.

KONKAN DISTRICT.

DABHOL OR ANJANVEL PORT.

Replacement of Bar Buoy.

THE Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, has given notice that the Bar buoy, marking the entrance to the Váshishti river, Dabhol or Anjanvel Port, which had broken adrift, had been replaced in its former position on the 28th September 1886.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.,*

Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 28th October 1886.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 68).

RED SEA—EAST COAST.

COAST OF YEMEN.

KAMARAN BAY.

Shoal N. E. of Kamarán harbour.

THE British Admiralty, London, has notified on further information received from Mr. T. H. Franks, Master of the steam-ship *Anglo Indian*, of the position of the outermost shoal mentioned in the Red Sea supplement for 1886, page 31, lying in the anchorage ground on the West side of Kamarán harbour entrance:—that,

This shoal, composed of sand and marked by discoloured water, is about 50 yards in extent, with depths of 12 to 28 feet at low-water spring tides; it lies with the following bearings:—

North-East entrance point of Kamarán harbour	...	S. 39° W.
Salah Mosque	... ..	N. 62° W.

Note.—Mariners should use caution in taking up an anchorage in this part of Kamarán Bay, as other shoals may exist. In August 1886, the red buoy at the southern entrance to Kamarán Bay was not in position.

The bearings are magnetic.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.*,

Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 30th October 1886.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 69).

RED SEA—WEST COAST.

COAST OF ABYSSINIA.

Bank southward of S. E. Jezirat Kudd' Ali.

THE British Admiralty, London, has given notice—on the authority of the Commander of the Italian gun-boat *Scilla*—of the existence of a bank lying about two miles S. $\frac{1}{2}$ E. from South-East Jezirat Kudd' Ali, and nearly one mile from the shore.

This bank (*Scilla bank*) extends about 9 cables in a N. N. E. and S. S. W. direction with a breadth of $2\frac{1}{2}$ cables; on the northern end there is a patch of 19 feet at low-water (the shoalest spot found), and on the southern end a patch of 21 feet; on other parts of the bank, the depths range from 23 to 33 feet.

The *Scilla* anchored near the southern edge of this bank in 21 feet with the following bearings:—

South-West summit of Saddle island	...	S. 89° E.
Jezirat Kudd' Ali summit	... ..	N. 37° W.
South-East Jezirat Kudd' Ali summit	...	N. 5° W.

Position—Latitude 13° 53' 15" N., longitude 41° 51' 30" E.

Note.—From the shoalest spot, Barn rock is shut in by South-East Jezirat Kudd' Ali, and the North-East extreme of Saddle Island is in line with the highest peak of Jebel 'Abáyil.

The Commander of the *Scilla* reports that Haycock hill and the islands in the vicinity are not well charted.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.*,

Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 30th October 1886.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th October 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 58).

BAY OF BENGAL.

COAST OF BURMA.

ARRACAN DISTRICT.

CHEDUBA STRAIT.

Breaking adrift of buoy marking entrance to Cheduba Strait.

MR. J. ANDERSON, Commanding the British India Steam Navigation Company's steamer *Medina*, intimates that the Master of the P. S. *Hastie* (plying between Kyook Phyou and Cheduba Islands) reports that the red buoy laid last N. E. monsoon at the entrance to the Cheduba Strait has drifted away, and now lies on shore near Cheduba Island.

Note.—Mariners are warned that careful navigation is necessary.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

EATON W. PETLEY,

Offg. Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 25th October 1886.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th October 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 59).

RED SEA—WEST COAST.

COAST OF ABYSSINIA.

'ASAB BAY ENTRANCES.

(1).—*Buoy marking Fieramosca shoal.*

THE British Admiralty, London, announces that the Italian Government has given notice on the authority of the Commander of the Italian gun-boat *Scilla* that a buoy has been placed near the N. E. edge of the *Fieramosca* shoal, northward of 'Asab Bay.

The buoy, *cylindrical* in shape, with *tripod* and *flag*, is painted *black*, and is moored in 15 feet with the following bearings:—

West extreme of Jezirat Fátimah	...	...	S. 10° W.
Sella, or Saddle mount, south peak	...	...	S. 54° W.
Sanáh Bór islet summit	...	...	S. 75° W.

Fieramosca shoal is found to be about a mile long N. W. and S. E., and two-thirds of a mile broad, with soundings varying from 15 feet to 26 feet.

(2).—*Position and particulars of a shoal.*

Also, that in the northern entrance to 'Asab Bay, a shoal lies about $1\frac{3}{4}$ miles E. $\frac{3}{4}$ N. from the position assigned to Bosanquet shoal.

This shoal (not marked by discoloured water), composed of coarse sand and broken shells, with depths of $3\frac{1}{4}$ to $5\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms at low-water, extends about $3\frac{3}{4}$ cables in a N. W. and S. E. direction, with a breadth of $2\frac{3}{4}$ cables; on its northern side the depths increase quickly to 11 fathoms; it lies with the following bearings:—

West extreme of Jezirat Fátimah	...	...	S. 33° E.
Sella, or Saddle mount	...	...	S. 49° W.
Sanáh Bór islet summit	...	...	S. 86° 30' W.

When on this shoal, Ganga and Sella mounts are nearly in line.

Note.—A beacon (*pyramid*) has been erected on Rás Makawwa, to indicate Rubattino channel entrance, approach to 'Asab Bay from the eastward.

Two beacons (*pyramid*) have also been erected on Halib Island, eastern entrance to 'Asab Bay, to lead through the Rubattino channel.

The bearings are *magn. tic.*

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

EATON W. PETLEY,

Offg. Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 25th October 1886.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th October 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 60).

RED SEA—WEST COAST.

COAST OF ABYSSINIA.

NORTH MUSAWWA CHANNEL.

(1).—*Shoal off Rás Kuba.*

The information contained in this Notice has been published by the Hydrographer to the British Admiralty, London.

THE Italian Government has given notice on the authority of the Commander of the Italian gun-boat *Scilla* of the existence of a shoal lying about 2 miles from the shore and about 1 mile S.E. of the coral reef extending N.E. of Rás Kuba, northern entrance to North Musawwá channel.

This shoal, with a depth of $4\frac{3}{4}$ fathoms, lies with the following bearings:—

Centre of Ente'sileh islet	...	...	...	...	N. 35° E.
White Cone	...	...	...	...	N. 61° W.

Position.—Latitude $16^{\circ} 22' N.$, longitude $39^{\circ} 13' E.$

Note.—The depths on the coral bank situated about 5 miles southward of Ente'sileh islet have been found to be 4 fathoms at low-water, instead of 5 fathoms as heretofore shown. On the southermost of the two 4-fathoms shoals, lying about 4 miles N.N.W. of Rás Harb, the depth is $3\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms at low-water.

HARKIKO BAY.

(2).—*Shoal off Rás Guddam.*

Also, of the existence of a shoal, lying about half a mile N.E. of Rás Guddam South side of Harkiko bay.

This shoal, with a depth of $3\frac{1}{4}$ fathoms and marked by discoloured water, lies with the following bearings:—

Quoin hill, Hartau peninsula	...	...	...	S. 32° E.
Northern extreme of Rás Guddam	...	...	...	N. 77° W.

Position.—Latitude $15^{\circ} 38' N.$, longitude $39^{\circ} 35' 30'' E.$

Note.—The shoal of 5 fathoms off Rás Guddam and about 1 mile N.W. of the last mentioned shoal does not exist. The detached shoal of one fathom and marked *P. D.*, shown as lying about 5 miles S.E. by S. of Rás Guddam, does not exist; in this locality depths of one fathom extend about half a mile from the shore.

SOUTH MUSAWWA CHANNEL.

(3).—*Shoal southward of South Assarka Island.*

Also, of the existence of a shoal, lying about one mile southward of South Assarka Island, northern entrance to South Musawwá Channel. This shoal, composed of rock and coral, with a depth of $4\frac{3}{4}$ fathoms at low-water, extends about $1\frac{3}{4}$ cables in a North and South direction, with a breadth of about half a cable; it lies with the following bearings:—

Southern extreme of Shumma Island	...	...	...	N. 83° E.
Jebel Dulhe	...	...	...	S. 8° W.
Southern extreme of South Assarka Island	...	...	...	N. 9° W.

Position.—Latitude $15^{\circ} 30' 30'' N.$, longitude $39^{\circ} 55' 0'' E.$

The bearings are magnetic.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

EATON W. PETLEY,

Offg. Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 25th October 1886.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

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COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 61).

AFRICA—EAST COAST.

KILIMAN (QUILIMANE) RIVER ENTRANCE.

(1) *Alterations in position of Tangalane point light.*

THE British Admiralty, London, have notified from information received from the Portuguese Government that on the 15th May 1886 Tangalane point light, northern side of Kiliman (Quilimane) river entrance, was exhibited from a light-house situated about 550 yards in an E. S. E. direction from its former position. The new light-house, 19 feet high, consists of a quadrangular truncated pyramid, constructed of wood and painted black.

Further particulars concerning this light will be published in due course.

ZANZIBAR ISLAND—WEST COAST.

(2) *Position of Mungopani light-house.*

Information has also been received that the fixed white light exhibited from a light-house erected near the village of Mungopani, West coast of Zanzibar Island, is situated on the cliff about two miles northward of Mungopani.

Position—Latitude $5^{\circ} 57' 10''$ S., longitude $39^{\circ} 10' 50''$ E.

The bearings are magnetic.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

EATON W. PETLEY,

Offg. Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 25th October 1886.

DECLARATION.

The 8th November 1886.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a Khas Tehsil Cutcherry-house at Ranjan and Saplonga and Nagormora, thana Hattazari, in the village of Sultanpoor, thana Ranjan, pergunnah Islamabad, zillah Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 15 bigahs 17 cottahs 4 dhors of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the waste land belonging to Taraf Joy Naran Ghosal and nal lands appertaining to Taraf Ali Keram and the grave-yard in Taraf Mahomed Kamil; on the east by the cultivated nal land appertaining to Taraf Kristo Kisor and waste lands in talook Sib Churan; on the south by homestead of Poton; on the west by the lakheraj nal land belonging to Ahamed Ali and Darduri path and the khilla lands appertaining to Joy Naran Ghosal, is required in the aforesaid village of Sultanpoor, Saplonga and Nagormora.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

P. NOLAN

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3171A.

The 4th November 1886.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. R. Wilkinson, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is appointed, under section 12 of the European Vagrancy Act, IX of 1874, to be a Member of the Committee of Management of the Government Workhouse, vice Mr. J. Lambert, C.I.E., on furlough.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. R. Wilkinson, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

The 9th November 1886.—Baboo Sasi Kumar Datta, Manager, Dukhin Shabazpore estate, Backergunge, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Baboo Promotho Krishna Singha, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Chittagong, to be ordinarily stationed at Cox's Bazar.

Baboo Moti Lal Sircar, Second Subordinate Judge of Dacca, is allowed leave for two months, under rule 1, section 73, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from such date as he may avail himself of it.

Chowdhury Ahmed Gazi is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate of the Chandpore Bench, in the district of Tipperah, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

GRANTS OF LEAVE TO MUNSIFS.—*The 4th November 1886.*—Baboo Mohendro Nath Ghose, Munsif of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for one month, under section 128, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 29th October 1886.

Baboo Gobind Chunder Bose, Munsif of Soory, in the district of Beerbhoom, is allowed leave for one month, under section 128, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 29th October 1886.

Baboo Annada Prosad Chatterjee, Munsif of Dantoon, in the district of Midnapore, is allowed leave for three months, under section 128, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 29th October 1886, in supersession of the leave granted him on the 14th October 1886.

Baboo Krishna Chunder Das, Munsif of Lohardugga, in the district of Chota Nagpore, is allowed leave for three months, viz., two months and 13 days under section 73, rule 1, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, and the remaining 17 days, under section 73, rule 3 of the same Code, with effect from the 10th December 1886, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

F. B. PEACOCK,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

The 14th September 1886.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government for a public purpose, viz., for the site of a police-station at Chandil, pergunnah Patkoom, district Manbhoom, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bigahs 16 cottahs 11 chittacks of standard measurement, is required within the said village, in the district of Manbhoom.

The land is bounded on the north by the Road Cess bungalow compound; on the south by the land under cultivation belonging to the late Bhola Babu of Rupchap, and now in possession of his widow; on the east by the Government road; and on the west by high land, also in the possession of Bhola Babu's widow.

The above plot includes the land belonging to Dasu Rowani of Purulia, consisting of about 1 bigah 6 cottahs and $7\frac{1}{2}$ hissahs. The remaining portion of the area above referred to belongs to the estate of the late Bhola Babu of Rupchap.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

F. B. PEACOCK,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT—RAILWAY.

The 8th November 1886.

No. 409.—*Posting.*—Mr. G. Mills, Assistant Engineer, first grade, is, on return from privilege leave, posted to the Northern Bengal State Railway.

The 9th November 1886.

No. 410.—*Notification.*—The following notifications, issued by the Government of India, Public Works Department, are republished for information:—

No. 272, *the 19th October 1886.*—Mr. G. Deuchars, Assistant Engineer, first grade, State Railways is transferred from the establishment under the Government of Bengal to that under the Chief Commissioner of Burma.

No. 273, *the 20th October 1886.*—The services of Mr. C. H. Croudace, Executive Engineer, first grade, State Railways, on return from furlough, are placed at the disposal of the Director-General of Railways.

No. 300, *the 3rd November 1886.*—Mr. F. L. Dibblee and Mr. T. E. Owen, Executive Engineers, first grade, State Railways, are transferred from the establishment under the Government of Bengal to that under the Chief Commissioner of Burma.

No. 302, *the 3rd November 1886.*—Mr. W. E. Newham, Assistant Engineer, first grade, State Railways, is, on return from furlough, placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Burma.

S. T. TREVOR, Col., R.E.,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. Dept.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 6885.—*The 8th November 1886.*—Assistant Surgeon Sosi Bhusan Mukerjee, a Supernumerary at the Presidency, is appointed to have temporary medical charge of the Sumbhoo Nath Pundit Dispensary at Bhowanipore, during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Ram Moy Ray, or until further orders.

No. 6889.—*The 8th November 1886.*—Assistant Surgeon Ram Moy Ray, attached to the Sumbhoo Nath Pundit Dispensary at Bhowanipore, is allowed leave for three months, under section 128, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code.

A. J. COWIE,
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

Sheriff's Office, the 3rd November 1886.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Criminal Sessions of the year 1886 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the first day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

GEORGE YULE, Sheriff.

শরীফ অফিস সন ১৮৮৬ সাল তারিখ ৩ নবেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে শ্রী বঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়াম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৮৮৬ সালের ১লা ডিসেম্বর বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৮৬ সালের ষষ্ঠ ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান-বসিবেক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেন তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে হইত।

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CALCUTTA SMALL CAUSE COURT.

NOTICE.

IN accordance with suggestions contained in a report to the High Court, signed by Mr. Justice Wilson and Mr. Justice Trevelyan, on their inspection of the Calcutta Small Cause Court, a new system will, on and after the 28th October 1886, be tried for the purpose of revising the list of cases which come daily into the court.

All summons cases will, on the returnable date of the summons, come before one only of the Judges, who will revise the whole list of the court for each day.

He will go through the list, enter "compromises," make decrees in cases in which the defendant does not appear, give fresh summonses in cases where the summons has not been served, grant necessary postponements, ascertain what causes are defended, and dispose of any cases which, in his judgment, can be disposed of summarily.

This would leave the whole time of the other Judges free for the trial of defended causes. The defended causes will be assigned by the Judge revising the list to the lists of the different Judges on the earliest possible days, and will be adjourned by him to those days. The Judge revising the list will have before him the list of each Judge for each day, so far as already filled up, and will arrange that there should always be a sufficient number of cases, say 25 or 30, on each Judge's list. Each of the other Judges will thus have each day his list of defended cases provided for him. When a second summons has been granted, the case will, on the new return day, come again before the Judge who revises the list for that day.

If under this system a Judge should at any time find his list becoming clogged, he will communicate with the revising Judge, and inform the latter that he must have a day or days left clear to enable him to pull up. Thus if on the first of the month a Judge finds that his lists were getting blocked, and that it will take a day to get them clear, he will tell the revising Judge that this is the case. The latter, when revising the lists of the Judge in question, may see that they are already filled, say up to the 9th: he will leave the 10th blank. The Judge who had found himself blocked, knowing that the 10th would be a clear day, will use his discretion: he will either go on as usual up to the 10th, trusting to clear himself on that day, or will adjourn a sufficient number of cases to that day to enable him to take the other cases as nearly as possible on their proper dates.

ADJOURNMENTS.

No "costs of the day" will be allowed on adjournments.

Nor will adjournments be allowed, even by consent, except upon good cause shown.

By order of the Court,

COURT OF SMALL CAUSES OF CALCUTTA, }
The 28th July 1886.

C. Y. C. BOLST,
Clerk of the Court.

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 14, Act XI of 1865, that, subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Krishnaghur, Ranaghat, and Bongong will hold his sittings from the month of December next on the dates mentioned below—

From 1st to 12th and the last three opening days of each month at Krishnaghur.
 „ 13th to 18th and the remaining days after 25th of each month at Ranaghat.
 „ 19th to 25th at Bongong.

RAJ CHUNDRA SANDYAL, *Offg. Judge.*

KRISHNAGHUR SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 4th November 1886.

TREASURY NOTICES.

BABOO KALI PRASSANNA CHOUDHURY, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Noakhally Treasury and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

ANNADA PROSAD BASU, *Personal Assistant, for Commissioner.*

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG, the 29th October 1886.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABOO SRINATH GUPTA has been placed in charge of the Moorshedabad Treasury and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

DURGA GATI BONERJEA, *Personal Assistant, for Commissioner.*

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVISION, CALCUTTA, the 8th November 1886.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 19th October 1886.—Baboo Hari Nath Sen, B.A., Sub-Inspector of Schools, 24-Pergunnahs (class VI), is appointed to officiate as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Hazaribagh, and in class V, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Gopal Chandra Ghosal, who is under orders of transfer to Lohardugga.

This cancels the orders of the 14th September last, appointing Baboo Hari Nath Sen to officiate as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Lohardugga, and in class V, *vice* Baboo Gopal Chandra Ghosal, on leave.

The 20th October 1886.—Baboo Mahendra Nath Dutt, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Rungpore (temporarily substantive in class V), is allowed leave of absence for two months and four days, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 14th October 1886.

Baboo Becharam Ganguli, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Rajshahye (class VI), is appointed to officiate as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Rungpore, and in class V, *vice* Baboo Mahendra Nath Dutt, on leave.

The 28th October 1886.—Baboo Mahesh Chandra Chakravarti, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Midnapore (class VI), is appointed to be Sub-Inspector of Schools, Backergunge, *vice* Baboo Gobinda Chandra Ghosh, transferred.

Baboo Bhola Nath Das, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Rungpore (class VI), is appointed to be Sub-Inspector of Schools, Midnapore, *vice* Baboo Mahesh Chandra Chakravarti, transferred.

The 30th October 1886.—Baboo Lachman Lal, Second Master of the Patna City School and now Officiating Third Master of the Gya Zillah School (class VI), was on leave of absence for eighteen days, under sections 128 and 129, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 3rd August last.

The 2nd November 1886.—Baboo Durga Prasanna Mookerjee, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Lohardugga, under orders of transfer to Hazaribagh (class V), is allowed leave of absence for two months and nine days, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 24th September 1886.

The 8th November 1886.—Mr. J. D'Silva, Seventh Assistant, Office of the Director of Public Instruction (class VI), was on leave of absence from the 9th September to the 24th October 1886, both days inclusive, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Bono Mali Mullick, Fourth Assistant, Office of the Director of Public Instruction (class V), is allowed leave of absence for two months, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st November 1886.

Baboo Suresh Chandra Deb, Eighth Assistant, Office of the Director of Public Instruction (class VII), is allowed leave of absence for two months, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st November 1886.

A. CROFT,
Director of Public Instruction.

NOTICE.

UNDER Rule 8 of the Junior Scholarship Rules, approved by Government in its Resolution of the 26th July 1882, it is hereby notified that of the 18 junior scholarships allotted to the Dacca Division, the 6 second grade scholarships will be awarded to those candidates who stand highest in order of merit in the divisional list in the examination to be held in April 1887 and the remaining 12 third grade scholarships will be distributed as follows:—

Dacca ...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Furreedpore ...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Mymensingh ...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Total						12

W. R. LARMINIE, *Offg. Commissioner.*

Supplementary List of Students who have passed the Final or Second Diploma Examination of the Dacca Medical School in 1886, after re-examination in Surgery.

- 38. Nishi Kantha Das.
- 39. Kailas Chandra Nandi.
- 40. Durga Charan Chakravarti.

A. CROFT, *Director of Public Instruction.*

DARJEELING, the 2nd November 1886.

Behar Circle.

Notice to Private Students and Teachers who wish to appear at the next Entrance Examination

APPLICATIONS from those who wish to appear at the next Entrance Examination as private students or as teachers must reach the undersigned not later than the 31st December 1886.

Each application must be accompanied by a certificate from the Head Master of the last school at which the applicant (whether student or teacher) read, showing the class from which he left, and that all dues have been paid.

In the case of a teacher, a certificate must be produced, showing that he is a *bond fide* teacher, and has not temporarily taken up a teachership, paid or honorary, merely to appear at the examination.

Those whose applications are accepted, whether students or teachers, will have to appear at the test examination of the nearest zillah school and pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the Head Master. If they pass the examination, their applications to the Registrar of the University will be countersigned.

JOHN VAN SOMEREN POPE,
Inspector of Schools, Behar Circle.

BANKIPUR, the 25th September 1886.

NOTIFICATION OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1282B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1884-85, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall-street, on Thursday, the 2nd December 1886, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,500 chests, viz.:—

Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory	...	...	Chests.
Ditto ditto at the Ghazee-pore Factory	...	...	2,350
		...	2,150
Total			4,500

2nd. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 30th November 1885, and published in the *Government and Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 7th and 17th December 1886, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 7th December 1886, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Friday, the 17th December 1886.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

C. E. BUCKLAND, *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L.P., Fort William, the 25th October 1886.

Statement showing the Importation of Salt (Private Property) in Bond and Afloat on the River Hooghly subject to Customs Duty on the 31st October 1886.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	Government golabs.	Private golabs.	Afloat.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Punga	39,867	.....	7,08,087	7,47,954
Italian Kurkutch	6,52,426	.....	22,433	6,74,859
Bombay ditto	34,290	.....	34,363	68,653
Arabian and Persian Gulfs Kur- kutch and Muscat Rock ...	1,41,158	.....	1,76,518	3,17,676
Hamburgh Salt ... ..	.....	.....	1,16,772	1,16,772
French Salt ... ..	.....	.....	18,578	18,578
Total	8,67,741	.....	10,76,751	19,44,492

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

C. A. SAMUELLS, *Offg. Collector of Customs.*

CUSTOM HOUSE, CALCUTTA, the 8th November 1886.



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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 3255A.

GENERAL.—*The 11th November 1886.*—Mr. H. Lee, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Pubna, acted in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, from the forenoon of the 28th September to the afternoon of the 13th October 1886.

The 15th November 1886.—Mr. F. H. McLaughlin, District and Sessions Judge, Jessore, is allowed leave for two days, under the note to rule 2, section 73, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 16th June last.

Moulvie Abdool Wassay Ahmed, Sub-Deputy Collector, Alipore, 24-Pergunnahs, is transferred to Lalbagh, in the district of Moorshedabad.

Baboo Juggut Chunder Roy, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bagirhat, Khoolna, is transferred to Alipore, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs.

Mr. F. Wyer, Magistrate and Collector, Dacca, is allowed furlough for three days, under section 50, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of the furlough granted to him under the order of the 22nd May 1886.

Mr. E. W. Collin, c.s., on special duty as Settlement Officer in the district of Mozufferpore, is deputed to demarcate, in co-operation with the Settlement Officer of Goruckpore, the inter-provincial boundary between the districts of Goruckpore and Sarun.

The 16th November 1886.—Mr. F. R. S. Collier, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the Sudder station of the district of Monghyr, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Rungpore.

The services of Baboo Ganendra Nath Pal, Temporary Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Patuakholly, Backergunge, on leave, are placed at the disposal of the Board of Revenue for employment on excise work in the districts of Hooghly and Howrah.

Baboo Bhoobuneshwar Singh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Satkhira, Khoolna, on leave, is transferred to the Sudder station of that district.

Baboo Rash Behary Dutt, Temporary Sub-Deputy Collector, on deputation as Sub-Manager of the Jallamutha and Majnamutha Estates in Midnapore, was at Pakour, in the district of the Sonthal Pergunnahs, from the 25th August to the 6th September last.

Mr. C. F. Manson, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the Sudder station of the district of Lohardugga.

Baboo Jogendra Kumar Bose, Assistant Manager, Wards' Estates, Chittagong, is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the fourth grade, *vice* Baboo Annada Prasad Pattack, deceased, but will continue to hold his present appointment until further orders.

Baboo Burmeshwar Prasad is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the fourth grade, *vice* Baboo Jogendra Kumar Bose, on deputation, and is posted to Bishenpore, in the district of Bankoora.

Mr. A. W. Paul, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the Sudder station of the district of the 24-Pergunnahs.

Baboo Khagendra Nath Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Satkhira, Khoolna, is appointed to have charge of the Oolooberiah sub-division in Howrah.

Baboo Nobin Krishna Banerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Oolooberiah, Howrah, is transferred to Khoolna, and is appointed to have charge of the Satkhira sub-division of that district.

Moulvie Mahomed, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is transferred to Backergunge, and is appointed to have charge of the Patuakhally sub-division of that district.

Kumar Girendra Narain Deb, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dinagepore, is allowed leave for three months, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from such date as he may be relieved by Mr. H. Thompson.

Moulvie Mobaruck Ali, Temporary Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Monghyr, is transferred to the Sudder station of the district of Singbhoom.

Mr. R. H. Renny, Assistant Commissioner, Singbhoom, is transferred to the Sudder station of the district of Hazaribagh.

POLICE.—*The 13th November 1886.*—Mr. A. Hogg, Superintendent of the Reserve Force, Calcutta, is appointed to act, in addition to his own duties, as Superintendent of the Port Police, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. G. A. Robertson, or until further orders.

Mr. G. A. Robertson, Superintendent of the Port Police, Calcutta, is allowed privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 3rd November 1886.

The 15th November 1886.—Mr. E. St. George Kaye, Assistant Superintendent of Police, is posted to Noakholly, and is appointed, until further orders, to have charge of the District Police of that district.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. R. Wilkinson, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is allowed leave for six days, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 15th September 1886.

The 16th November 1886.—Mr. W. J. Kilby, District Superintendent of Police, Rungpore, is allowed leave for one week, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 29th September last.

Mr. A. B. Barnard is re-appointed temporarily to be Additional Deputy Commissioner of Police for the Town of Calcutta, with effect from the 1st instant.

REGISTRATION.—*The 16th November 1886.*—Baboo Probhat Chunder Chatterjee, Temporary Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pooree, is also appointed to be Sudder Sub-Registrar of Pooree, with effect from the 1st September 1886.

OPIMUM.—*The 16th November 1886.*—Surgeon P. A. Weir, Principal Assistant to the Opium Agent, Benares, is allowed leave for seven days, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of the leave granted to him under the order of the 3rd August last.

MEDICAL.—*The 2nd November 1886.*—Assistant Apothecary J. T. Weston, Presidency General Hospital, is appointed to act as Apothecary, Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. R. M. Blaker, or until further orders, with effect from the date on which he joined his appointment.

The 13th November 1886.—Dr. J. Anderson, Professor of Comparative Anatomy, Medical College, Calcutta, has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India six months' extension of extraordinary leave on medical certificate without pay.

The 16th November 1886.—Dr. C. M. Russell, Civil Medical Officer, Sarun, is allowed leave for three months, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 27th October 1886.

In modification of the order of the 10th August last, Surgeon-Major G. Bomford is appointed to be substantive *pro tempore* Second Resident Surgeon, Presidency General Hospital, during the absence, on deputation, of Surgeon J. Clarke, or until further orders.

F. B. PEACOCK,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 16th November 1886.—With reference to paragraph 5 of the notification, dated the 27th July 1886, it is hereby notified that the number of appointments to be competed for at the examination of candidates for admission into the Subordinate Executive Service to be held in January next will be eight.

F. B. PEACOCK,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th November 1886.—The following rules for the admission of Natives of India to the higher grades of the Opium Department are published for general information.

1. Natives of India of unmixed descent will be admitted to the Opium Department by selection.

2. A candidate who wishes to have his name registered for appointment must forward an application in writing, if he be resident in the Lower Provinces, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal, or, if he reside in the North-Western Provinces, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

3. Each candidate must produce (a) a certificate of having passed the Entrance examination of the Calcutta University, or satisfactory evidence from competent authority of having received a good education up to the standard at least of the Entrance examination; (b) satisfactory certificates of his respectability and good moral character, countersigned by the Magistrate of the district in which the candidate resides, or by the Commissioner of Police if the candidate be a resident of Calcutta; (c) a certificate of health and physical fitness from a Government medical officer; (d) a certificate from a competent Government officer that he is able to ride and is of active habits.

No person whose age exceeds 25 years will be eligible for admission into the department unless he be already in Government service.

4. A candidate considered eligible for admission into the department, and whose name has been approved by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal or of the North-Western Provinces, will receive an intimation to that effect.

5. The registration of any applicant's name as an approved candidate will not give him a claim to an appointment.

6. A candidate appointed to the department will be considered as a probationer for the first two years of his service. His confirmation in the department will depend on the report which may be submitted by the Opium Agents as to the industry and intelligence with which he discharges his duties, and as to his fitness for service in the department.

7. Persons appointed under these rules will be liable to pass the usual departmental examinations.

N. B.—The above rules will, however, not be brought into practical effect until the candidates who have successfully passed the competition examination have been provided with permanent appointments.

F. B. PEACOCK,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th November 1886.—The following telegram, received from the Government of Bombay, dated the 13th November 1886, is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

Telegram, dated the 13th November 1886.

From—Bombay,
From—General Secretary,

To—Calcutta,
To—Bengal.

POLITICAL Resident, Aden, telegraphs Egyptian Board of Health has imposed quarantine on arrivals from Calcutta. Quarantine at Aden and Perim according to precedent—ends.

NOTIFICATION.

The 13th November 1886.—Under the powers conferred upon him by section 101 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, VIII of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order that a survey shall be made, and a record of rights prepared, in respect of all lands included within the boundaries of the Government estate Bhetia, bearing Towjee No. 48, in the district of Midnapore.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record of rights shall be the following :—

The name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest.

The situation, quantity, and boundaries of proprietor's private lands, as defined in chapter XI of the Act.

The name of each tenant.

The class to which he belongs,—that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, ryot holding at fixed rates, occupancy ryot, non-occupancy ryot, or under-ryot; and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure.

The situation, quantity, and boundaries of the land held by him.

The name of his landlord.

The rent payable.

The mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a court or otherwise.

If the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases.

The special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy.

P. NOLAN,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th November 1886.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 19 of the Indian Forest Act (VII of 1878), the Lieutenant-Governor hereby declares the lands within the boundaries described below (which on the 7th April 1885 were notified as proposed reserves) to be reserved forests, with effect from the 1st July 1886 :—

District.	Pergunnah or other sub-division.	Name of forest.	Boundaries.
Pooree...	Khoorda...	Haripur block, an addition to the Dandimal Range.	<i>North.</i>—From a forest pillar about 60 links north of field No. 56 on sheet No. 8 of the Hariramara cadastral plan along a demarcated line north by east to the north-east corner of field No. 376—573 on sheet No. 6 of the Barhapita map; thence north-west and north-east along demarcated lines skirting to the south of Barhapita cultivation to the north-west corner of field No. 281 in that mouzah, and taking fields Nos. 275 to 280 into the reserve; thence eastward to a pillar in field No. 225 on the west of the Hali Ghadwa nala. <i>East.</i>—From the pillar in field No. 226, skirting to the west of the above nala and cultivation along demarcated lines to the triple junction of Barhapita, Giringaput and Haripur; thence along demarcated lines skirting to the west and excluding cultivated lands of Haripur to the western corner of field No. 286 and north of mangoe orchard No. 287 on sheet No. 1 of the cadastral map of mouzah Haripur. <i>South.</i>—From the abovementioned point along demarcated lines skirting to the north of, and excluding the cultivated and settled lands of, mouzah Haripur to a forest pillar on the western boundary of Haripur, 22½ chains north-east of the triple junction pillar of Haripur, Hariramara, and Jamjhari. <i>West.</i>—From the said forest pillar along demarcated lines skirting and excluding the cultivated lands of Hariramara on sheets Nos. 16, 10 and 9 of the cadastral map, but taking into the reserve fields Nos. 2190—2308, 2190—2309, 2190—2313, 2190—2312, 2190—2311, and 2190—2310, of sheet No. 16, fields Nos. 242—2304, 242—2303, 242—2302, 242—

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Pooree.	Khoorda...	Jhamjhari block, an addition to the Dandimal Range.	2301, 242—2300, 242—2299, 242—2298, 242—2297, 242—2296, 242—2295, 242—2294, 242—2293, 242—2292, 242—2291, 242—2305, 242—2306, 242—2307, and fields from Nos. 232 to 241 of sheet No. 10, and Nos. 214—2285, 214—2290 of sheet No. 9 of the cadastral map to a forest pillar on the north-east corner of field No. 211 of sheet No. 9; thence west along demarcated lines skirting and excluding the cultivated lands of Hariramara to the starting point. <i>North.</i>—From the triple junction of Jamjhari, Hariramara, and Binjhagiri eastward along the northern survey boundary between Jamjhari and Hariramara to the survey station near plot No. 1219 on the Hariramara map; thence eastwards skirting to the south of the Kadamjhar nala and cultivation to the Kadamjhar bandh; thence along that bandh and by demarcated lines skirting to the south and excluding the cultivated lands of Hariramara to the south-east corner of field No. 1897. <i>East.</i>—Along a demarcated line skirting and excluding the cultivated lands of Hariramara to a forest pillar on the north bank of Jatania nala. <i>South and West.</i>—Along a demarcated line skirting the Jamjhari and Hariramara cultivated lands to the north to a survey station east of the Natpatijhar No. 2016 on the Hariramara map; thence skirting and excluding the nala and Jamjhari cultivation back on to the boundary between Jamjhari and Hariramara to a point about $2\frac{1}{2}$ chains north of west of the Ghasi bandh nala, and south to a forest pillar on No. 50, Phutikijhar bandh in Jamjhari; thence along the bandh and eastward skirting the cultivation to a forest pillar on the boundary of field No. 575 of Jamjhari; thence to the boundary between 590 and 591 and along the said boundary and on to a forest pillar on the boundary of Jamjhari and Hariramara; thence south and west along a demarcated line skirting the cultivation of Jamjhari to the boundary between fields Nos. 600 and 601, taking into the reserve fields No. 591 to 600; thence westward by demarcated lines skirting to the north of the Jamjhari cultivation to a forest pillar at the junction of fields Nos. 82 and 117 of Jamjhari; thence nearly due west by demarcated line to the old cart road leading from the Jamjhari village and old Savar Sahi to Kadamjhar; thence along demarcated lines following the said cart road north-westward to the mouzah boundary between Jamjhari and Binjhagiri; thence following the said mouzah boundary to the starting point.
Ditto	Ditto ...	Majana block A, an addition to the Dandimal Range.	<i>North.</i>—From a forest boundary pillar near the boundary between mouzah Bantal and Majana, zilla Dandimal, at 6·30 chains from the survey station and 9·70 from the south-east corner of orchard No. 827 of Bantal, eastward along demarcated lines across the Jangal of mouzah Majana to a forest pillar near the boundary between Majana and Minchinpatana at 5 chains from the survey station east of the head of the Jhamka nala and 4·70 chains from the head of that nala No. 44 as shown on the cadastral plan of Majana. <i>East.</i>—From the last-mentioned point by demarcated lines first south-west then south-east to a pillar north-west of No. 348 of Minchinpatana on the Jhumka nala jhil; thence following the north-west and north margin of that jhil and east of Jhumka nala to a pillar on Jhumka bandh No. 346 on the cadastral plan of Minchinpatana; thence across the jhil <i>via</i> the bandh to the western side of the Jhumka nala; thence southward skirt-

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			ing and leaving the Jhumka nala cultivation to the east to the survey station at south-west end of field No. 381 of Michinpatana; thence back again along the eastern margin of the Jhumka nala cultivation to a pillar on east side of field No. 350; thence by demarcated lines leaving orchard No. 436 to the north-east to a pillar on west side of field No. 430; thence south-west, following the cultivation and excluding it, to a pillar on north-east limit of field No. 393; thence north-east to the north-east of field No. 383, back again south to field No. 384 and excluding both fields; thence skirting round the north and west of fields Nos. 392 and 391 to the Pani Pohuni or nala; thence north-east, again skirting the strip of cultivation and excluding fields Nos. 392, 393, 394 and 398 to 421 of the Michinpatana map, and from the pillar by the side of the last-named field to the survey station south of the nala boundary of the village, leaving field No. 423 to the north-east of the line; thence following the western margin of the Majana cultivation and the cart track to a pillar on the said cart track by field No. 414 of Majana; thence south-west, skirting the Ganjadhar Kunar Sohara cultivation and excluding it to a pillar on north-west corner field No. 208; thence by demarcated lines west-north-west, north and north-east to a pillar at south-west corner of field No. 204; thence taking field Nos. 285 to 294 and 455 and 456 into the reserve, following the northern and southern and eastern limits of cultivation to the boundary between fields Nos. 384, 385, and 386, taking Nos. 386 to 401 into the reserve; thence running between fields Nos. 384 and 386 and along the north of No. 384 to a pillar on the south of cultivation No. 399—3678; thence skirting and excluding fields Nos. 3678 and 3677 to the survey station on the boundary of Majana and Michinpatana; thence skirting and excluding fields Nos. 397—943 and 395—942 of Michinpatana back to the Pani Pohuni or nala No. 390 of the Michinpatana map; thence following the nala on the north of fields Nos. 395—942 of Michinpatana and 394—3676 of Majana and down the right bank of No. 371 (the Katphanusia nala of Majana map), excluding nala and field No. 29—3675 to the pillar on the north margin of field No. 362; thence first west skirting fields Nos. 362—363 and 367 and excluding them, then south-west excluding cultivated field No. 351, then west again between fields Nos. 334 and 335, excluding the former and taking into reserve the latter, and fields Nos. 334 to 338 and 340 to 348, of Majana; thence skirting the northern margin of cultivation Nos. 322—323, 331—332 and 333 and taking into reserve fields Nos. 316 to 321, south along the western margin of cultivated fields to a pillar on the boundary between fields Nos. 270 and 271 of Majana; thence west excluding fields Nos. 103, 105, and 110, &c., to the boundary of Majana and Bantal at a point 11 chains north of the triple junction pillar of Majana, Bantal, and Haldipara; thence skirting to the east of and excluding the Bantal cultivation to the survey station of the last-named boundary on the east of field No. 1107 and corner of field No. 1106 of Bantal; thence into Majana again skirting and excluding fields Nos. 53 and 54, 56 to 77—80 to 94 and 96 to 101 of Majana and back to the survey station by field No. 97 of Majana on the boundary of Majana and Bantal. <i>West.</i>—From the last-named survey station a demarcated line skirting east of and excluding the cultivation

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		Block B ...	of mouzah Bantal Nos. 829 to 864, 1040, 1042 to 1047, 1100, 1102, 1089 to 1095, 1081 to 1083, 1104 and 1122 to 1124 to the starting point. Comprising sâl plots Nos. 207, 478 and 526 of the cadastral plan of mouzah Majana, measuring 18·267 acres, and bounded as follows:— <i>South-East.</i>—From the forest pillar at the junction of fields Nos. 415 and 416 of Majana, demarcated lines running southwards to a forest pillar near the cart road on the north of field No. 527; thence by demarcated lines skirting and excluding the cultivated and settled lands of Jamusohara; south to a forest pillar on the north-west corner of plot No. 198 of Majana. <i>South-West.</i>—A demarcated line running from the lastnamed point to the south corner of plot No. 208. <i>North-West.</i>—From the pillar at corner of field No. 208 north-eastward, skirting and excluding the cultivated lands of Gangadhar Kunar Sohara to the starting point.
		Block C ...	<i>North-West.</i>—A demarcated line from a pillar on west of field No. 500 of Majana to the north-eastward, skirting and excluding cultivated fields of Majana as shown on the cadastral map to the cart track north of field No. 529. <i>North-East.</i>—Thence following the cart track to the pillar south of field No. 1019 of Majana. <i>South-East.</i>—A demarcated line joining the boundary of Majana and Mahul, west of field No. 672. <i>South.</i>—Following the surveyed and mapped boundary between Majana and Mahul to the survey station south of west of the lastnamed point, a distance of 4·30 chains; then skirting and excluding fields Nos. 552 to 555, 557 to 559, 608 to 616, and taking into the reserve cultivated fields Nos. 618 to 627 to the pillar near field No. 500, the starting point.
		Block D ...	Sâl plots Nos. 1267 and 1270 as shown on the cadastral plan of mouzah Bantal and demarcated on the ground, excluding the cultivated lands of Bantal and the adjoining plots Nos. 1683 and 1692 of mouzah Haldia-para, as shown on the cadastral map of that village and demarcated on the ground by forest boundary pillars.
		Block E ...	<i>North-West.</i>—A demarcated line starting from a forest pillar 3·60 chains east of the corner of field No. 1339 on the cadastral map of mouzah Bantal and running north-east to another pillar near the north-west corner of field No. 1152, distance 6 chains. <i>East.</i>—A demarcated line running south, starting from the lastnamed pillar of skirting and excluding the cultivation of Bantal to the south-west corner of field No. 1146; thence south-west to another pillar at north-west corner of field No. 1154; thence south skirting the Bantal cultivation to the pillar on the cart road on north-west corner of field No. 1285. <i>South.</i>—The cart road and south boundary of field No. 1290 as shown on the cadastral map of Bantal. <i>West.</i>—From west corner of field No. 1290 north to a pillar distant 11 chains; thence to another pillar to the east of north about 2 chains east of field No. 1326 on the cadastral map and distant 10·50 chains from former pillar; thence by two demarcated lines running nearly north to the starting point. <i>North.</i>—From a forest boundary pillar in mouzah Sapneswarpur, zillah Khoorda, at a point about 23 chains west of the triple junction pillar of mouzahs Sapneswarpur, Kerang, and Gaurput, east to the said triple junction; thence east to a point on the boundary of Kerang and Barsahi, situated about 6·10 chains north-
Pooree...	Khoorda.	Jaimangal block, an addition to the Dandimal Range.	

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Pooree...	Khoorda...	Bhola block A, an addition to the Pandimal Range.	east of the triple junction pillar of Gaurput, Kerang, and Barsahi; thence eastward to near the south-west corner of field No. 3268 of the Barsahi cadastral map. <i>East.</i>—From near the corner of the lastnamed field following the western margin of the Barsahi settled cultivation generally southwards by demarcated lines, and including plots Nos. 3369 to 3372, 3374 to 3377, 3391, 3407 to 3409, 3411 to 3429, and 3479 to 3489 in the reserve to the eastern margin of No. 3525; thence leaving the cultivation to the east and crossing the boundary line between Barsahi and Kapileswarpur at a point 11 chains east of the triple junction between Gaurput, Kapileswarpur, and Barsahi to a forest boundary pillar 7.46 chains east of field No. 42 on the map of Kapileswarpur. <i>South.</i>—From the lastnamed forest boundary pillar west to a pillar near field No. 42; thence north leaving the Kapileswarpur cultivation to the west to the boundary on Barsahi; thence round and excluding fields Nos. 3824 and 3825 of Barsahi back to the boundary and including plot No. 1 of Kapileswarpur; thence south by west to a forest boundary pillar distant 11.20 chains; thence south-west to the triple junction boundary pillar between Jaimangal, Olsingh, and Gaurput; thence 10 chains west by north to a forest boundary pillar; thence in the same direction 13.30 chains to another forest boundary pillar on the cart road. <i>West.</i>—From the cart road forest pillar north to a forest pillar near the southern margin of orchard No. 1131 of Gaurput, distance 12.80 chains; thence north-east to another pillar, distant 10 chains; thence along the demarcated line northwards to a pillar in field No. 772 of Gaurput; thence skirting and excluding Gaurput cultivation and tank No. 1058 by demarcated lines and pillars to the boundary between Gaurput and Barsahi at a point about 5 chains north of the triple junction with Kapileswarpur; thence northwards following the boundary past tank No. 1058, and then by demarcated lines skirting and excluding Gaurput cultivation to a forest pillar near field No. 666 of Gaurput; thence to the starting point. <i>North.</i>—From a forest boundary pillar of the Chandka reserved forest, in plot No. 834 of the Bhola cadastral map and 5 chains from the nearest survey station on the boundary of Kantabar shown on that map, eastwards along a demarcated line to a forest pillar on the south-west corner of plot No. 676 of the cadastral plan; thence skirting to the east by south of and excluding the Bhola cultivation to the pillar by field No. 630, about 3.40 chains from the bridge on the Cuttaek and Ganjam Trunk Road. <i>South-East.</i>—From the lastnamed point south to a pillar near field No. 583, about 1.50 chains from a bridge on the Trunk Road; thence by demarcated lines excluding the Bhola cultivated and settled lands back to a pillar one chain east of field No. 846 and 1.20 links from a survey station on the Trunk Road as shown on the cadastral map of Bhola; thence running parallel with the Trunk Road to the boundary of Bhola on Kantabar, one chain from the triple junction of these villages with Daspar; thence still running nearly parallel to the Trunk Road to a forest pillar near field No. 68 of Kantabar. <i>South-West.</i>—From the lastnamed point by a demarcated line to the forest boundary pillar of the Chandka reserved forest immediately to the north of field No. 185 of the Kantabar cadastral map.

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Pooree...	Khoorda	Block B ... Daspur block, an addition to the Dandimal Range.	<i>North-West.</i>—From the last-named point following the boundary of the Chandka reserved forest to the starting point Sâl plot No. 945 of the cadastral plan of Bhola, measuring 18·310 acres, and bounded as follows :— <i>North.</i>—Bhola cultivation, fields Nos. 873 to 944. <i>East.</i>—Field Nos. 945—952 and 945—953, and the Cuttack and Ganjam Trunk Road. <i>South.</i>—Cultivated fields of mouzah Bhola Nos 848 to 867. <i>West.</i>—Bhola cultivation Nos. 869 and 870 as shown on the cadastral map of Bhola. <i>North.</i>—From a forest demarcation pillar 1·5 chains south of field No. 1935 on the cadastral plan of mouzah Audharna and 50 links east of the bridge on the Cuttack and Ganjam Trunk Road, following a demarcated line skirting and excluding the cultivated lands of the said mouzah to the Kadambini nala No. 1866 of the said map. <i>East.</i>—Thence by demarcated lines skirting and excluding the cultivated and settled lands of mouzah Audharna, with the exception of fields Nos. 503 to 514 which are included in the reserve to the western corner of field No. 7643 of Audharna on the boundary of mouzah Daspur; thence skirting and excluding the cultivated and settled lands of Daspur, excepting fields Nos. 78 to 85 of Daspur, which are included in the reserve, back to the boundary of Audharna to the survey station near field No. 7644 of that village; thence skirting and excluding settled and cultivated lands of Audharna, back again to the boundary two chains west of field No 7648 of Audharna; thence skirting and excluding fields Nos. 104 to 124, 127 to 138, 140 to 145, 159 to 178, 178—3089, 179 to 189, part of 191 and other cultivated and settled fields of Daspur to the survey station at the north of field No. 254 on the boundary of Daspur and Ghanjapatana. <i>South.</i>—From the lastnamed survey station north-west following the boundary to field No. 236 of Ghanjapatana; thence demarcated lines skirting the cultivation of Ghanjapatana to the north-west of field No. 195 and round fields Nos. 195 and 193—8529, back south-westward, skirting the other side of the said strip of cultivated lands to a forest demarcation pillar near the west end of No. 249 of Ghanjapatana which is the Nangurabhanga bandh; thence by demarcated lines skirting a portion of the Barjor nala and cultivation west and north of that nala to field No. 182 of the Ghanjapatana map; thence by demarcated lines and pillars leaving Ghanjapatana cultivation to the south to a forest pillar three chains west of the Trunk Road and six chains north-east of the bridge over the Barjor nala. <i>West.</i>—From the lastmentioned pillar north-eastwards to a pillar near to field No. 20 on the map of Ghanjapatana and 1½ chains west of the Trunk Road; thence going round and excluding cultivated fields and plots Nos. 3 to 36 of Ghanjapatana to another pillar near field No. 4 and one chain from the Trunk Road; thence to a pillar near the cultivation 2—6514 and 1½ chains south-east of Trunk Road; thence round the said cultivated land and back to a pillar at north-east corner of the field above noted and about 4 chains east of a small bridge on the Trunk Road; thence to the boundary of Ghanjapatana and Daspur at a point about 3½ chains south-east of the triple junction pillar

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Pooree	Khoorda...	Nagapati block. an addition to the Dandimal Range.	with Kantabar situated by the Trunk Road; thence following the surveyed and mapped boundary of Ghanjapatana and Daspur to a pillar 2.50 chains east of the survey station south of field No. 31 of Daspur; thence by a demarcated line to the south-east corner of field No. 35 of Daspur; thence skirting to the east of and excluding cultivated and settled fields Nos. 35 to 73 of Daspur by demarcated lines and pillars northward to the mapped boundary between Daspur and Audharna at a point 1.40 chains east of the survey station on field No. 7 of Daspur; thence following the said boundary westwards to the survey stations 4.50 chains south and east of the Trunk Road and the junction pillar of Bhola, Kantabar, Daspur, and Audharna; thence north-east leaving the Trunk Road on the left by demarcated lines and pillars to the starting point. <i>North.</i>—The demarcated, surveyed, and mapped boundary of Nagapati and Krushnapur, zillah Panchgarh of Khoorda, on killah Khandpara, in the Orissa Tributary Mehals, from the triple junction pillar of mouzahs Orás and Gobardhanprasad in Khandpara and Nagapati in Khoorda to a point on the said boundary between Krushnapur of Khoorda and Gobardhanprasad of Khandpara situated about 5 chains north of field No. 61 on the Krushnapur cadastral map. <i>East.</i>—From the lastnamed point south to a forest boundary pillar on the Kadamjhar nala, leaving Krushnapur cultivation to the east; thence the nala to the boundary between Krushnapur and Patbandh at a point 20 chains west of where the nala crosses that boundary; thence first south and then east excluding the Patbandh cultivation to a forest pillar at about 4.50 chains a little to the south of west of the point abovenamed where the nala crosses the boundary; thence in a southerly direction by demarcated lines and pillars to a forest boundary pillar in Patbandh, 27 chains north-west of the triple junction pillar between Patbandh, Benagaria, and Madhuban. <i>South.</i>—From the forest pillar lastnamed west to another forest pillar, distant 14.30 chains; thence south 10.60 chains; thence north of west about 13 chains to the boundary between Patbandh and Haripur at a point 16 chains distant from the triple junction pillar of those mouzahs with Madhuban; thence following the demarcated, surveyed, and mapped boundary of Patbandh on Haripur along the crest of the hills to the triple junction pillar of Patbandh, Haripur, and Nagapati; thence along the southern demarcated, surveyed, and mapped boundary of Nagapati on mouzahs Haripur, Jorapara, and Nilkanthpur along the crests of the hills to the triple junction pillars of Nagapati, Nilkanthpur, and Sanpur; thence following the surveyed and mapped boundary of Nagapati on Sanpur for 12 chains to the Puranapani nala; thence by forest demarcation lines and pillars including the sal coppice of Sanpur to the survey station on the boundary between Sanpur and Sikharpara about 4.50 chains south-east of the triple junction pillar between Sanpur and Sikharpara in Khoorda and mouzah Orás, killah Khandpara, near the southern end of the Tulsibania bara bandh. <i>West.</i>—From the last-mentioned triple junction pillar following the demarcated, surveyed, and mapped boundaries of Sanpur and Nagapati on mouzah Orás of killah Khandpara to the starting joint.

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Pooree...	Khoorda...	Bharatpur block, an addition to the Dandimal Range.	<i>North-West.</i>—From a survey station on the northern demarcated and mapped boundary of mouzah Audharna on mouzah Jaganath Prasad at about 13 chains to the north-east of field No. 6175 on the cadastral map of the firstnamed village, following the said surveyed and mapped boundary slightly north of eastward to the triple junction pillar between the two abovenamed mouzahs of Khoorda and killah Patia, in the district of Cuttack. <i>North and East.</i>—From the last-named triple junction pillar southward following the demarcated, surveyed, and mapped boundary of mouzah Audharna on killah Patia in Cuttack to the triple junction pillar between mouzahs Audharna, Bharatpur, and killah Patia; thence eastward following the demarcated, surveyed and mapped boundary of mouzah Bharatpur on killah Patia to the triple junction with mouzah Nayapali in Khoorda. <i>East.</i>—From the last-named triple junction southwards and westward following the surveyed and mapped boundary between mouzahs Bharatpur and Nayapali excluding the cultivated fields Nos. 62 to 86 of Bharatpur by a demarcated line to a point $1\frac{1}{2}$ chains north of the Danaibandh nala; thence by a demarcated line going first westwards, then southwards, then south-eastwards, back to the boundary line at a point one chain south of the said Danaibandh nala, and thereby excluding the bandhs, nala, and cultivated fields Nos. 106 to 166, a portion of Nos. 167 and 179 waste, and fields Nos. 168 to 191 on the cadastral plan of mouzah Bharatpur; thence southwards following the same surveyed and mapped boundary to the junction pillar between the four mouzahs Bharatpur, Nayapali, Barmunda, and Jaklandi. <i>South-West.</i>—From the lastnamed boundary pillar north-westwards following the demarcated, surveyed, and mapped boundary between Bharatpur and Jaklandi to the survey station on the boundary near the cart track at the south-east corner of plot No. 22 of the Jaklandi map; thence westward by a demarcated line through the lands of Jaklandi to the new district road from Chandka to Khandagiri and Bhubaneshwar; thence following the east side of the said district road northwards through lands of Jaklandi and Bharatpur to the cultivated lands of Bharatpur lying between the Tala Moriham or Kochilagaris and Upar Moriham or Molhua Sehora tank; thence by a demarcated line excluding plots Nos. 1 to 38 of the Bharatpur cadastral map with portions of plots Nos. 3, 36, and 40 of the said map to the boundary of Bharatpur on Audharna, two chains north of the Upar Moriham tank; thence by a demarcated line passing to the north of No. 9843 of the Audharna map, back to the aforesaid district road at plot No. 9837 on the said map; thence following the said district road in a north-westerly direction to a forest boundary pillar on the roadside; thence by a demarcated line eastward and then northward excluding orchards Nos. 9928, &c., of Audharna to the starting point. <i>North.</i>—From the demarcated, surveyed, and mapped western boundary of mouzah Rampur on mouzah Nayapali, zillah Dandimal, at a point one chain south of field No. 168 on the cadastral plan of Rampur eastward along a demarcated line running south of the Rampur cultivation to a cart track where it crosses the northern boundary of Rampur about 6 chains east of field No. 1; thence following the demarcated,
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Rampur block, an addition to the Dandimal Range.	

District.	Pergunnah or other sub-division.	Name of forest.	Boundaries.
Pooree...	Khoorda...	Mendha Sâl block, an addition to the Dandimal Range.	surveyed, and mapped boundary of the said Rampur on mouzah Bamikhal to the junction pillar of mouzahs Bamikhal, Jharpara, Lakhisagar, and Rampur. <i>East.</i>—The eastern demarcated, surveyed, and mapped boundary of mouzah Rampur in zillah Dandimal on mouzahs Lakhisagar and Bargarh to the triple junction pillar of Rampur, Bargarh, and Bhubaneshwar. <i>South.</i>—From the last-named triple junction pillar by a demarcated line passing to the north of and excluding plots Nos. 228, 229, 230, parts of 227 and 231, and Nos. 232, 233, 234 and 235 on the cadastral plan of Rampur to a forest boundary pillar on the southern mapped boundary of Rampur; thence westward along the said boundary to the triple junction pillar between Rampur, Bhubaneshwar, and Sripur, and on to the triple junction pillar of Rampur, Sripur, and Nayapali. <i>West.</i>—From the lastnamed triple junction following the demarcated, surveyed, and mapped western boundary of Rampur to a forest demarcation pillar 50 links south of field No. 217 on the cadastral map of Rampur; thence by a demarcated line skirting to the east of and excluding the cultivation and orchards of Rampur to the boundary of Rampur and Nayapali about $1\frac{1}{2}$ chains north of field No. 170; thence along the surveyed and mapped western boundary of Rampur to the starting point. <i>North.</i>—The surveyed and mapped boundary of mouzah Deulia Patana on mouzahs Ghanjapatana and Nayagaon from the survey station two chains south-east of field No. 226 of Deulia Patana to the triple junction pillar of Deulia Patana, Nayagaon, and Mangobindpur; thence following the surveyed and mapped northern boundary of Mangobindpur to the triple junction pillar of Mangobindpur, Nayagaon, and Bidyadharpur. <i>East.</i>—The eastern surveyed and mapped boundary of mouzah Mangobindpur on mouzah Bidyadharpur. <i>South.</i>—The southern surveyed and mapped boundary of Mangobindpur on mouzah Jagsara to the triple junction pillar of Mangobindpur, Jagsara, and Deulia Patana; thence by demarcated lines passing round the southern limits of the Deulia Hill to the forest boundary pillar 3·20 chains east of field No. 848 of Deulia Patana and situated at the base of the hill. <i>West.</i>—A demarcated line running nearly parallel with the cart track, leaving the Deulia Patana cultivation to the west, westwards to the pillar 50 links east of the cart track and 1 50 chains from the east margin of field No. 243—4197 as shown on the cadastral map of Deulia Patana; thence a demarcated line to a pillar close to field No. 81; thence skirting and excluding cultivated fields of Deulia Patana in a straight line to a pillar near the north-east corner of field No. 105; thence in a straight line to the starting point.

P. NOLAN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

List of persons who passed the Revenue Agents' Examination held in August 1886.

Division.	District.	Names.
Burdwan	Burdwan	1. Manindra Nath Ghattack. 2. Upendra Chandra Banerjia.
	Bankoora	1. Haradhan Ghose. 2. Sambhunath Singh.
	Beerbhoom	1. Kunja Behari Adhicari. 2. Tincouri Mookerjia.
	Midnapore	1. Naba Krishna Das.
	Hooghly	1. Haridas Mahunta. 2. Upendranath Ghose.
	24-Pergunnahs	1. Hari Mohan Moitra.
Presidency	Nuddea	1. Ananda Chandra Das Gupta.
	Khulna	1. Abhay Charan Bhadra. 2. Behari Lal Ghose. 3. Pravat Chandra Ghose. 4. Rai Charan Bose. 5. Rash Behari Ghosal. 6. Sital Chandra Dutt. 7. Umakant Gangooli.
Rajshahye	Dinagepore	1. Radha Sundar Chuckerbutty.
	Rajshahye	1. Srinath Sarcar.
	Rungpore	1. Meherullah Biswas.
	Pubna	1. Durgagati Ghattack.
	Julpaigori	1. Ishwar Chandra Sen. 2. Shashee Bhusan Sikdar.
Dacca	Dacca	1. Bunga Chandra Ghose. 2. Barada Kanta Chatterjia. 3. Basanta Kumar Das. 4. Basanta Kumar Dutt. 5. Bhuban Mahan Dutt. 6. Chandrodoy Sen. 7. Chandra Kumar Mitter. 8. Durga Das Sen. 9. Jadunath Biswas. 10. Janakinath Bose.
		11. Madan Mohan Dutt.
		12. Manoranjan Dutt.
		13. Mojibur Rahman.
		14. Rajendra Kumar Ghose.
		15. Ramani Mohan De Sarcar.
		16. Rebati Kanta Bose.
		17. Sarada Kanta Dhar.
		18. Sarat Chandra Bose.
		19. Satya Kumar Guha.
	Furreedpore	20. Surendra Narain Bose.
		21. Tara Kishore Chaudhuri.
		1. Aulad Ali Khundkar.
		2. Brajendra Kumar Ghose.
		3. Janakinath Bhaduri.
	Mymensiugh	4. Mohendra Narain Ghose.
		1. Chandra Kumar Mookerjia.
		2. Gayan Chandra Roy.
		3. Kali Chandra Hom.
		4. Kali Prasanna Roy.
Chittagong	Chittagong	5. Muhammad Hossain.
		1. Satish Chandra Barna.
	Tipperah	2. Shahabat Ali.
		1. Ananda Kumar Talapatra.
	Noakhally.	2. Kailash Chandra Ghose. 1. Ganga Sager De. 2. Iswar Chandra Das. 3. Tarini Charan Chuckerbutty.
Patna	Patna	1. Malik Zahoorul Huq. 2. Muhammad Sayeed. 3. Murlidhur. 4. Shaikh Amiruddin. 5. Tota Ram.

Division.	District.	Names.
Patna—concluded ...	Gya	1. Bishenput Sahai. 2. Malik Abdur Rawof. 3. Muhammad Nazir Ahsan. 4. Sada Seo Lal. 5. Sayed Atta Karim <i>a'ias</i> Mushuruf Hossain. 6. Tek Narayan.
	Shahabad	1. Shaikh Ali Raza. 2. Deoki Nandan. 3. Furhut Hossain. 4. Harihur Prosad. 5. Leakat Hossain.
	Mozufferpore	1. Mahabir Prasad. 2. Muhammad Azum. 3. Muhammad Ishaq. 4. Shaikh Abdul Ali 5. Sayed Nabi Jan.
	Durbhunga	1. Baijnath Prasad Rai. 2. Bankebehari Lal. 3. Budri Natn. 4. Fuzlur Rahman. 5. Jadubans Sahai. 6. Jugdip Narain. 7. Muhammad Fazaluddin. 8. Muhammad Shawsul Huq. 9. Nonda Kumar Singh. 10. Umesh Chandra Biswas.
	Chumparun	1. Radha Ballab.
	Maldah	1. Jogeshwar Chatterjia.
	Cuttack	1. Bhagirathi Naik. 2. Jogendranath Jena. 3. Syam Sunder Das.
	Pooree	1. Haradhan Roy. 2. Radha Krishna Patnaik.
	Balasore	1. Mayadhar Das. 2. Siddeshwar Naik.
	Lohardugga	1. Thakur Prasad. 2. Sukhram.

The 16th November 1886.

P. NOLAN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th November 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 72).

BAY OF BENGAL.

BURMA COAST.

COAST OF ARAKAN.

PORT OF SANDOWAY.

Buoy marking River Entrance.

THE Deputy Commissioner, Sandoway, intimates that the buoy marking the river entrance to the Port of Sandoway is sinking from leakage.

Note.—Mariners are warned that careful navigation is necessary.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, I.M., *Captain,*

Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 11th November 1886.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

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COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 73).

SOUTH COAST OF ARABIA.

GULF OF ADEN.

OUTER HARBOUR OF ADEN.

Removal of Wreck in Harbour.

With reference to this Department Notice to Mariners, No. 48, issued on the 10th August 1886, telegraphic information has been received from the Director of the Indian Marine, Bombay, that the *lighter*, which sunk in the outer harbour of Aden with the lightship bearing N. 61° E, distant 600 yards, has been removed.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,
ARTHUR W. STIFFE, I.M., *Captain,*
Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 11th November 1886.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 9th November 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 70).

CEYLON—EAST COAST.

TRINCOMALI HARBOUR.

Vessels prohibited from anchoring near the Sub-Marine Mining Operation between Ostenburg Point and Little Sober Island.

THE Colonial Government, Ceylon, has given notice that on and after the 1st November 1886, until the 28th February 1887, a red buoy with a red flag, and the words *Torpedo* buoy painted on it, will be placed at the entrance to Trincomali Harbour between Ostenburg Point and Little Sober Island to mark the boundary of the Sub-Marine Mining Field.

This buoy is laid at a distance of 250 yards from Little Sober Island, the waterway on the triangle formed by buoy, N. E. point of Great Sober Island and Clappenburg Point being obstructed by mines.

Caution.—Masters of vessels and others are warned that they should pass between the buoy and Ostenburg Point.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,
ARTHUR W. STIFFE, I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 8th November 1886.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 9th November 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 71).

SOUTH COAST OF ARABIA.

GULF OF ADEN.

OUTER HARBOUR OF ADEN.

Sunken Wreck westward of Aden Lightship.

INFORMATION has been received from the Director of the Indian Marine, Bombay, that a steam-vessel lies sunk in a position dangerous to shipping with Aden lightship bearing East, distant 1,100 yards.

The wreck is in about 25 feet at low-water spring tides, with her mast-heads just above water.

The bearing is magnetic.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 8th November 1886.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 2nd November 1886.—The following Notices to Mariners are published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 62).

RED SEA—COAST OF ABYSSINIA.

BAB-EL-MANDEB STRAITS.

PERIM ISLAND.

Repairs to Obstruction Point Light.

NOTICE is hereby given on the authority of the Port Officer, Aden, that alterations to the occulting light on Obstruction Point, Perim Island, have commenced, and that they will be completed in about one month. During this time the light will probably be very bright from the bearings of N. 42° W. through West to S. 8° E., except between the bearings of N. 67° W. and N. 69° W., between S. 69° W. and S. 65° W., and between S. 22° W. and S. 18° W. where the light becomes very dim and no occultation is visible.

Further notice concerning this light will be given.

The bearings are magnetic, and are given from seaward.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.,*
Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 28th October 1886.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 63).

INDIA—WEST COAST.

KONKAN DISTRICT.

BANKOT PORT.

Replacement of Bar Buoy.

THE Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, has intimated that the buoy, marking the entrance to the Bankot port, which had broken adrift, was replaced in position on the 24th September 1886.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.,*
Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 28th October 1886.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 64).

INDIA—WEST COAST.

KONKAN DISTRICT.

JAYTAPUR PORT.

Replacement of Bar Buoy.

THE Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, reports that the buoy, marking the entrance to the Jaytapur port, which had broken adrift, was replaced in position on the 8th October 1886.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.,*
Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 28th October 1886.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 65).

INDIA, WEST COAST.

KONKAN DISTRICT.

ALIBAG PORT.

Replacement of Bar Buoy.

INFORMATION has been received from the Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, that the buoy, marking the entrance to the port of Alibag, which had broken adrift, was replaced in position on the 13th October 1886.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.,*
Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 28th October 1886.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 66).

INDIA, WEST COAST.

KONKAN DISTRICT.

MALVAN PORT.

Replacement of the Red Buoy.

WITH reference to Notices to Mariners, Nos. 9 and 13, issued from this Department on the 25th February and 8th March 1886, respectively, the Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, has notified that the *Red* buoy, known as the Johnston-Castle buoy, at the entrance to the port of Malvan, which had broken adrift, was replaced in the same position on the 27th September 1886.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.*,*Port Officer of Calcutta.*

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 28th October 1886.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 67).

INDIA, WEST COAST.

KONKAN DISTRICT.

DABHOL OR ANJANVEL PORT.

Replacement of Bar Buoy.

THE Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, has given notice that the Bar buoy, marking the entrance to the Váshishti river, Dabhol or Anjanvel Port, which had broken adrift, had been replaced in its former position on the 28th September 1886.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.*,*Port Officer of Calcutta.*

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 28th October 1886.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 68).

RED SEA—EAST COAST.

COAST OF YEMEN.

KAMARÁN BAY.

Shoal N. E. of Kamarán harbour.

THE British Admiralty, London, has notified on further information received from Mr. T. H. Franks, Master of the steam-ship *Anglo Indian*, of the position of the outermost shoal mentioned in the Red Sea supplement for 1886, page 31, lying in the anchorage ground on the West side of Kamarán harbour entrance:—that,

This shoal, composed of sand and marked by discoloured water, is about 50 yards in extent, with depths of 12 to 28 feet at low-water spring tides; it lies with the following bearings:—

North-East entrance point of Kamarán harbour	...	S. 39° W.
Salah Mosque	... ..	... N. 62° W.

Note.—Mariners should use caution in taking up an anchorage in this part of Kamarán Bay, as other shoals may exist. In August 1886, the *red* buoy at the southern entrance to Kamarán Bay was not in position.

The bearings are magnetic.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.*,*Port Officer of Calcutta.*

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 30th October 1886.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 69).

RED SEA—WEST COAST.

COAST OF ABYSSINIA.

Bank southward of S. E. Jezirat Kudd'Ali.

THE British Admiralty, London, has given notice—on the authority of the Commander of the Italian gun-boat *Scilla*—of the existence of a bank lying about two miles S. $\frac{1}{2}$ E. from South-East Jezirat Kudd'Ali, and nearly one mile from the shore.

This bank (*Scilla bank*) extends about 9 cables in a N. N. E. and S. S. W. direction with a breadth of $2\frac{1}{2}$ cables; on the northern end there is a patch of 19 feet at low-water (the shoalest spot found), and on the southern end a patch of 21 feet; on other parts of the bank, the depths range from 23 to 33 feet.

The *Scilla* anchored near the southern edge of this bank in 21 feet with the following bearings:—

South-West summit of Saddle island	...	S. 89° E.
Jezirat Kudd'Ali summit	...	N. 37° W.
South-East Jezirat Kudd'Ali summit	...	N. 5° W.

Position—Latitude 13° 53' 15" N., longitude 41° 51' 30" E.

Note.—From the shoalest spot, Barn rock is shut in by South-East Jezirat Kudd'Ali, and the North-East extreme of Saddle Island is in line with the highest peak of Jebel 'Abáyil.

The Commander of the *Scilla* reports that Haycock hill and the islands in the vicinity are not well charted.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.*,

Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 30th October 1886.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3256A.

The 11th November 1886.—Baboo Tarak Chandra Das, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Bankoora, to be ordinarily stationed at Khattra, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Tara Prosonno Ghose, or until further orders.

Baboo Aughore Nath Ghose, Subordinate Judge of Rajshahye, is also appointed to be Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Rampore Beaulah.

Under the authority vested in him by the final clause of section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, Act X of 1882, the Lieutenant-Governor empowers Baboo Saroda Prosad Sircar, Officiating Deputy Magistrate, Mozufferpore, to take down evidence in criminal cases in the English language.

The 12th November 1886.—Baboo Dwarka Nath Chatterjee, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Chota Nagpore, to be ordinarily stationed at Lohardugga, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Krishna Chunder Das, or until further orders.

Baboo Durga Das Bose, M.A., B.L., is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Bankoora, to be ordinarily stationed at Kotulpore, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Woopendro Chunder Ghose, or until further orders.

Baboo Krishna Lal Chatterjee, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Beerbhoom, to be ordinarily stationed at Suri, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Gobind Chunder Bose, or until further orders.

The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Baboo Giridhur Sircar of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate for the Ooloberiah Howrah, in the district of Khoolna.

The 16th November 1886.—Baboo Khagendra Nath Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ooloberiah, Howrah, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Moulvie Mozharul Anwar, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Bhagulpore, to be ordinarily stationed at Monghyr, during the absence, on deputation, of Baboo Jadu Nath Dass, or until further orders.

Baboo Isser Chunder Chatterjee, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Purneah, to be ordinarily stationed at Kissengunge, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Nepal Chunder Bose, or until further orders.

GRANT OF LEAVE TO MUNSIFS.—*The 10th November 1886.*—Baboo Hemango Chunder Bose, Second Munsif of Kalligunge, in the district of Dacca, is allowed leave for fourteen days under section 128, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 29th October 1886.

The 10th November 1886.—Baboo Nepal Chunder Bose, Munsif of Kissengunge, in the district of Purneah, is allowed leave for one month, under section 73, rule I, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 13th instant, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

The 11th November 1886.—Baboo Sasi Bhusun Sen, Second Munsif of Comillah, in the district of Tipperah, is allowed leave for one month and fifteen days, under section 73, rule I, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 21st instant.

F. B. PEACOCK,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th November 1886.—In modification of the rules for the registration of documents under the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII) of 1885, framed under section 69 of the Indian Registration Act (III) of 1877 and published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 30th June last, the following rules are published for general information:—

1. A document presented for registration under sections 12, 18, 85, and 175 shall be first examined with reference to registration rule 42, and next with reference to the particular section of the Tenancy Act under which it is presented.

2. In certifying its admissibility to registration, the registering officer shall quote registration rule 42, as well as the particular section of the Tenancy Act under which it is admitted. Thus : " Admissible under rule 42, also under section _____ of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII) of 1885. Correctly stamped under the Indian Stamp Act, Schedule _____, No. _____."

3. When a sub-lease executed by a ryot purporting to create a term exceeding nine years is presented for registration, it shall be returned at once with a note to the following effect recorded on its back, viz., "Not admissible under sub-section 2, section 85 of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII) of 1885." The note shall be signed, sealed, and dated by the registering officer.

4. When a document is admitted to registration, the fees levied shall be noted below the certificate of admissibility in the following manner, viz. :—

				Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Fees paid A	...	...	...	1	0	0			
Ditto R	..	...	...	1	4	0			
							2	4	0
Landlord's fee	...	...	...	2	0	0			
Process fee (in court-fee stamps)	...	...	...	0	12	0			
							2	12	0
			Total	...			5	0	0

(Sd.)

Sub-Registrar.

5. The document shall be entered in the Registration Fee-book No. 1 in order of presentation in the same manner as any other document presented under the Indian Registration Act. The registration fee shall be credited in column 7 with the necessary details, and included in the total of other registration fees.

Note—The fee-book, which is now in use, is called the Registration Fee-book, and the new fee-book is called the Tenancy Act Fee-book.

for credit to Government.

6. Fees for processes shall be paid in court-fee stamps, which shall be affixed to the notices, and cancelled by the registering officers in the manner prescribed in section 30 of the Court-fees' Act, i.e., by punching out the figure-head so as to leave the amount designated on the stamps untouched. The pieces punched out shall be immediately destroyed.

7. The landlords' fees and the process fees shall be shown separately in a new fee-book (hereinafter called the Tenancy Act Fee-book).*

* *Tenancy Act Fee-book prescribed in paragraph 7 of the rules.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
3-rial number of notice.	Serial number of document in Registration Fee-book.	Date of presentation.	From whom received.	Nature of document.	Annual rent.	Landlord's fee.	Process fees in court stamps.	Number and date of letter sending notice and land- lord's fees to the Collector.†	Serial number of copy sent under section 176.	Signature of the registering officer.	REMARKS.

† Collector includes a Sub-divisional Officer within whose jurisdiction the transferred tenure is situated.

8. Column 1 of the Tenancy Act Fee-book should be filled up on the presentation of the document, whether the particular notice is ready or not. The number in that fee-book should be transferred to the notice when it is ready. Columns 2 to 8 should also be filled up immediately on the presentation of the document. Column 9 should be filled up on the date on which the notice and landlords' fees are sent to the Collector or the sub-divisional officer, as the case may be. Column 10 should be filled up on receipt of the fees for copy under section 176. The registering officer should affix his initials to each entry in column 11 of the Tenancy Act Fee-book.

9. On the completion of the registration of documents relating to the transfer of the tenures under section 12, or ryoti holdings at fixed rates under section 18, notices shall be prepared in duplicate in the form specified in Schedule I of the Rules under the Bengal

Tenancy Act published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd December 1885; and they shall,

with the landlords' fees, be forwarded to the Collector or the sub-divisional officer, as the case may be, under a covering letter to the following effect:—

No.

Dated

To—The

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to forward the notices, under section 12, Act VIII of 1885, in the prescribed form, together with the landlord's fees, amounting to Rs. The details of the landlords' fees and process fees realised on account of these notices are shown below—

Number of notice.

Landlord's fee.

Process fee.

Rs. A. P.

Rs. A. P.

56

...

...

...

1 5 0

0 12 0

57

...

...

...

3 12 6

1 8 0

58

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...

5 4 9

3 0 0

Total

...

10 6 3

5 4 0

I have, &c.,

Seal.

Sub-Registrar of

10. The amount of landlord's fee and the process fees shall be entered in the printed receipt for the document granted under section 52 of the Registration Act.

11. An application under section 176 for notification of incumbrances to the landlords may be made either verbally or in writing, and when made in writing it shall bear a court-fee stamp of annas eight. It shall be accompanied by the fee for the copy under articles G and H of the schedule of fees under the Registration Act, as well as by the amount of process fees. A receipt for the amounts thus taken shall be granted in the form (with necessary alterations) of receipts prescribed under section 52 of the Registration Act.

12. An entry shall at the same time be made in the Registration Fee-book and the fees credited to the Registration Department. The process fee shall be accounted for in the Tenancy Act Fee-book as directed in paragraph 7 of these rules.

13. The copy of the instrument under section 176 shall be forwarded to the Collector or the sub-divisional officer, as the case may be, with a covering letter to the following effect:—

No.

Dated

To—The

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to forward the copy herein enclosed, and to request that it may be served on A. B., resident of _____, as required by section 176, Act VIII of 1885. Court-fee stamps for process fee of Rs. _____ are affixed to the copy.

I have, &c.,

Sub-Registrar of

A notice in the form prescribed in the rules under the Tenancy Act, referred to in paragraph 9, is not required in transmitting a copy to the Collector or the sub-divisional officer under section 176. The stamps received under that section are to be treated in the same manner as directed in Rule 6, *supra*.

14. A separate challan shall be prepared for the landlord's fee credited in the Tenancy Act Fee-book. For this purpose the details shall be entered on the reverse of the challan. These shall be as follows:—

1	2	3	4	5
Serial number of challan.	Number of notice.	NAME OF DEPOSITOR.	Name of the person to whom payable.	AMOUNT.
				Rs. A. P.

F. B. PEACOCK,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

RAILWAY.

The 15th November 1886.

No. 411.—*Declaration*.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of the new alignment of the line between miles 49 and 51 of the Bengal Central Railway, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land measuring about 2 miles in length, with a width varying from 150 feet to 600 feet, passing through the undermentioned villages, in the district of Jessore, is required.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act X of 1870, to all concerned.

	Names of villages.		Pergunnah.		District.
(1)	Khadapara	...	Jeypore	...	Jessore.
(2)	Jointipore	...	Moolghur	...	Do.
(3)	Perozepur or Peerpole	...	Ditto	...	Do.

ESTABLISHMENT—GENERAL.

The 16th November 1886.

No. 412.—*Posting*.—With reference to notification No. 263 of the 14th October 1886 of the Government of India, Public Works Department, Mr. John Charles Hewitt, Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade, from the Royal Indian Engineering College, who reported his arrival in Calcutta on the 1st November 1886, is posted to the Calcutta Circle.

S. T. TREVOR, Col., R.E.,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. Dept.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 9005.—*The 11th November 1886*.—Assistant Surgeon P. C. Singh made over charge of the Pubna Jail to Surgeon W. Owen on the forenoon of the 1st November 1886.

No. 9007.—*The 11th November 1886*.—Surgeon W. Beatson made over charge of the Monghyr Jail to Assistant Surgeon Upendra Nath Sen on the forenoon of the 5th November 1886.

A. D. LARMORE,

For Inspector-General of Jails, Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 7021.—*The 15th November 1886*.—Assistant Surgeon Protap Chunder Ker, attached to the sub-division and dispensary at Jungipore, is appointed to have medical charge of the charitable dispensary at Jeagunge, in the Moorshedabad district, vice Assistant Surgeon Raj Krishna Ghose, deceased.

A. J. COWIE,

Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

Sheriff's Office, the 3rd November 1886.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Criminal Sessions of the year 1886 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the first day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

GEORGE YULE, Sheriff.

শরিফ অফিস সন ১৮৮৬ সাল তারিখ ৩ নবেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়াম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৮৮৬ সালের ১লা ডিসেম্বর বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্যন্ত মোশিয়ানের কার্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৮৬ সালের ষষ্ঠ ক্রিমিনেল মোশিয়ান বসিবক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

জর্জ ইউল শরিফ।

ECCLESIASTICAL.

THE REV. CHARLES SUMNER HARRINGTON, M.A., of Oriel College, Oxford, Minister, has been appointed by the Lord Bishop of Calcutta a Surrogate in the Diocese for granting Episcopal Licenses of Marriage.

T. A. PEARSON, *Registrar of the Diocese.*

DIOCESAN REGISTRY OFFICE, the 15th November 1886.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Calcutta University.

NOTICE.

THE University examinations in Arts, Law, Medicine, and Engineering, 1887, will be held on the undermentioned dates:—

Entrance, F. A., and B. A. examinations on Monday, the 28th March, and following days.

M. A. and Prem Chand Roy Chand examinations on Monday, the 7th November, and following days.

B. L., Honours in Law, and L. M. S. examinations on Monday, the 21st February, and following days.

M. B. and M. D. examinations on Monday, the 6th June, and following days.

F. E. examination on Monday, the 20th June, and following days.

L. E. and B. E. examinations on Monday, the 18th July, and following days.

Applications from candidates for admission to the Entrance, F. A., and B. A. examinations must be lodged with the Registrar on or before the 14th February.

Applications from candidates for admission to the M. A. examination must be lodged with the Registrar on or before the 7th October.

Applications from candidates for admission to the B. L. and Honours in Law examinations must be lodged with the Registrar on or before the 21st January.

Applications from candidates for admission to the L. M. S. examinations must be lodged with the Registrar on or before the 7th February.

Applications from candidates for admission to the M. B. examinations must be lodged with the Registrar on or before the 23rd May.

Applications from candidates for admission to the M. D. examination must be lodged with the Registrar on or before the 6th May.

Applications from candidates for admission to the F. E. examination must be lodged with the Registrar on or before the 6th June.

Applications from candidates for admission to the L. E. and B. E. examinations must be lodged with the Registrar on or before the 4th July.

All candidates from the same institution must appear at one and the same place of examination.

By order of the Vice-Chancellor,

CHARLES H. TAWNEY, *Offg. Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, the 26th October 1886.

Orders by the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate of the Calcutta University.

THE following portions of the text-books in English are appointed to be read and to be committed to memory for the Entrance examination, 1888:—

TO BE READ.

Book of Worthies.

Aristides.
Xenophon.
Epaminondas.

Alexander.
Scipio Africanus.
Julius Caesar.

Student's Treasury of English Lyrics.

After Blenheim.
The Wreck of the Hesperus.
Rosabelle.
True Greatness.
To Blossoms.

The last of the Flock.
The Girl describes Her Fawn.
To Daffodils.
The Popular Field.
To-morrow.

TO BE COMMITTED TO MEMORY.

After Blenheim.

|
Rosabelle.

The Wreck of the Hesperus.

The following changes in the Regulations of the University having been sanctioned by the Senate and approved by His Excellency the Governor-General of India in Council are published for general information :—

In paragraph 1 of the Regulations for Honours in Medicine and Surgery after the words "Medical Jurisprudence" the following words have been inserted :—

"A fee of fifty rupees shall be payable by each candidate for examination in one or more of the above branches."

In paragraph 14 of the Regulations for a License in Medicine and Surgery (Calendar 1886, page 60), the following words have been omitted :—

"To examine, in presence of the Examiners, morbid products chemically and by the aid of the Microscope, demonstrating the results obtained."

After paragraph 8 of the Regulations for the License in Medicine and Surgery under the head "First Licentiate Medical Examination," the following paragraph has been inserted, to be numbered paragraph 9 :—

"A female student who has passed the Entrance examination, attended classes, and obtained her certificate in Medicine, Surgery and Midwifery in the Calcutta Medical College, shall, if recommended by the Principal, be admitted to this Examination on her producing certificates to the following effect :—

- (a) Of having passed the First Arts Examination of the University.
- (b) Of having completed her nineteenth year.
- (c) Of having attended in a school of medicine recognized by the Syndicate an additional course of lectures in each of the following subjects :—

Anatomy.
Physiology.

Botany.
Chemistry."

and the numbering of the succeeding paragraphs has been altered accordingly.

For the present marginal note to the Entrance certificate the following has been substituted :—"The certificate of every candidate, who is not a private student, must be signed by the Principal or Head Master of the school from which he appears. The certificate of a candidate, who appears as a private student, must be signed by the Principal of an affiliated College or a Government Inspector of Schools," and the following footnote has been appended to the words "Private student" in the above marginal note :—"A student who does not appear from any school, or who has been transferred since the 1st of November next preceding the examination, without the consent of an Inspector to the school from which he appears, will be treated as a private student."

CHARLES H. TAWNEY, *Offg. Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, the 9th November 1886.

Supplementary List of Students who have passed the Final or Second Diploma Examination of the Dacca Medical School in 1886, after re-examination in Surgery.

- 38. Nishi Kantha Das.
- 39. Kailas Chandra Nandi.
- 40. Durga Charan Chakravarti.

A. CROFT, *Director of Public Instruction.*

DARJEELING, the 2nd November 1886.

Behar Circle.

Notice to Private Students and Teachers who wish to appear at the next Entrance Examination

APPLICATIONS from those who wish to appear at the next Entrance Examination as private students or as teachers must reach the undersigned not later than the 31st December 1886.

Each application must be accompanied by a certificate from the Head Master of the last school at which the applicant (whether student or teacher) read, showing the class from which he left, and that all dues have been paid.

In the case of a teacher, a certificate must be produced, showing that he is a *bonâ fide* teacher, and has not temporarily taken up a teachership paid or honorary, merely to appear at the examination.

Those whose applications are accepted, whether students or teachers, will have to appear at the test examination of the nearest zillah school and pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the Head Master. If they pass the examination, their applications to the Registrar of the University will be countersigned.

JOHN VAN SOMEREN POPE,
Inspector of Schools, Behar Circle.

BANKIPUR, the 25th September 1886.

NOTIFICATION OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1282B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1884-85, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall-street, on Thursday the 2nd December 1886, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,500 chests, viz. :—

	Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory ...	2,350
Ditto ditto at the Ghazee pore Factory ...	2,150
Total ...	4,500

2nd. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 30th November 1885, and published in the *Government and Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 7th and 17th December 1886, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 7th December 1886, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Friday, the 17th December 1886.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

C. E. BUCKLAND, *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L.P., *Fort William, the 25th October 1886.*

NOTICE.

THE following abandoned and confiscated salt will be sold by public auction on account of Government, at noon of the 17th instant, in the Office of the Superintendent, Preventive Service, at the Custom House, where samples can be seen :—

Description of salt.	Quantity.
	Mds. s. c.
Liverpool Pungah ...	282 23 14
Italian and Trapani Kurkutch ...	3 37 12
Rock Salt ...	22 0 0
Total ...	308 21 10

C. A. SAMUELLS, *Offg. Collr. of Customs.*

CUSTOM HOUSE, *Calcutta, the 11th November 1886.*



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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal,
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ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 22nd November 1886.

THE Lieutenant-Governor appoints Saturday, the 27th November 1886, at 12 o'clock noon, as the time, and the Bengal Chamber at Dalhousie Square, North, as the place, for a meeting of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations, and hereby summons the several Members of the said Council to attend the said meeting at the time and place appointed.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

GORDON LEITH,

Assistant Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 3391A.

GENERAL.—The 16th November 1886.—Mr. L. P. Shirres, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gya, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under section 4 of Act VII (B.C.) of 1880 in that district, *vice* Baboo Makunda Deb Mookerjee.

The 17th November 1886.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Captain H. G. Cooke of his commission in the "Purneah Rifles."

Mr. Frederick Alexander Shillingford is appointed to be Lieutenant in the "Purneah Rifles," *vice* Lieutenant R. Walker, resigned.

Lieutenant F. A. Shillingford is appointed to act as Commandant of the "Purneah Rifles" during the absence, on leave, of Captain A. Weekes, or until further orders.

The 18th November 1886.—Mr. C. H. Reily, Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Legislative Department, is appointed to be substantive *pro tempore* Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, and Judge of the Court for the trial of Pilots, with effect from the 22nd instant, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. F. J. Marsden, or until further orders.

Baboo Bunkim Chunder Chatterjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, is allowed leave for fourteen days, under section 128, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code.

The 19th November 1886.—Mr. F. W. J. Rees, District and Sessions Judge, Tipperah, is allowed leave for one month and a half, under the note to rule 2, section 73, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved by Mr. F. W. Badcock.

Mr. F. W. Badcock is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge, Tipperah, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. F. W. J. Rees, or until further orders, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Beerbhoom.

The 20th November 1886.—Mr. H. S. Beadon, Magistrate and Collector, Dinagepore, acted in the first grade of Magistrates and Collectors, from the 28th October to the 7th instant, both days inclusive.

Mr. A. Manson, Magistrate and Collector, Chittagong, acted in the first grade of Magistrates and Collectors from the 21st to the 31st October 1886, both days inclusive.

Moulvie Wahedullah, Temporary Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the Sudder station of the district of Moorshedabad.

Mr. F. C. Harrison, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is appointed to have charge of the Baraset sub-division of that district.

The 22nd November 1886.—Mr. F. B. Taylor, c.s., has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough for four months.

The following notification is published in supersession of that of the 15th instant, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem:—

Mr. E. W. Collin, c.s., on special duty as Settlement Officer in the district of Mozufferpore, is, in addition to that duty, appointed to demarcate, in co-operation with the Settlement Officer of Goruckpore, the inter-provincial boundary between the districts of Goruckpore and Sarun.

The 23rd November 1886.—Mr. E. M. Reily, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chumparun, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Tajpore sub-division in the district of Durbhunga, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. Earle, or until further orders, with effect from the date on which he joined his appointment.

Baboo Sant Prasad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gya, on leave, is transferred temporarily to Sasseram, in the district of Shahabad.

POLICE.—*The 19th November 1886.*—Mr. C. A. Fisher, District Superintendent of Police, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 4th proximo.

The 20th November 1886.—Baboo Gopal Hari Mullick, Assistant Superintendent of Police, in charge of the district police, Singbhoom, is appointed to act, until further orders, as District Superintendent of Police of that district, with effect from the 19th August last, *vice* Mr. T. G. Charles, on leave.

Mr. H. M. Parish, Assistant Superintendent of Police, in charge of the district police, Pooree, was in charge of the district police, Durbhunga, from the 19th August last to the date on which he was relieved by Mr. R. F. Guise.

Mr. W. D. Abercrombie, Assistant Superintendent of Police, in charge of the Patna City Police, is appointed to act as District Superintendent of Police, Mozufferpore, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. R. H. G. Irvine, or until further orders, with effect from the 11th September last.

Mr. H. C. Clogstoun, Assistant Superintendent of Police, is appointed to act as District Superintendent of Police, Purneah, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. H. N. Harris, or until further orders, with effect from the 6th September last.

Mr. Clogstoun acted in the first grade of Assistant Superintendents of Police from the 25th August to the 5th September 1886.

Mr. W. H. Cornish, District Superintendent of Police, Lohardugga, is promoted to the second grade of District Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 15th July 1886, *vice* Colonel W. Gordon.

Mr. C. A. Fisher, District Superintendent of Police, Mymensingh, is promoted to the fourth grade of District Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 15th July 1886.

Mr. J. H. W. D. Clark, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Dacca, is appointed to be a District Superintendent of Police of the fifth grade, with effect from the 15th July 1886, *vice* Mr. C. A. Fisher.

Mr. A. S. Judge, Assistant Superintendent of Police, on leave, is promoted to the first grade of Assistant Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 15th July 1886, *vice* Mr. J. H. W. D. Clark.

Mr. E. C. S. Baker, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Assam, is promoted to the second grade of Assistant Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 15th July 1886, *vice* Mr. A. S. Judge.

Mr. H. M. Reily, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Howrah, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. G. J. Cawley, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Nuddea, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. G. R. K. Meares, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Moorshedabad, is confirmed in that appointment.

Baboo Mohendro Nath Hazra, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Khoolna, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. L. E. Fabre-Tonnerre, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Dinagepore, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. G. D. Graham, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Beerbhoom, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. H. Munro is appointed to be District Superintendent of Police, Manbhoom, but will continue to act, until further orders, as Assistant Inspector-General, Government Railway Police, Howrah.

The 22nd November 1886.—Mr. P. A. Sandilands, Assistant Superintendent of Police, has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of leave for six months on sick certificate.

The 23rd November 1886.—Mr. J. C. Stack, Assistant Superintendent of Police, is posted to Mymensingh, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Rungpore.

Mr. W. F. S. Allen, Officiating Assistant Superintendent of Police, Cuttack, is transferred to Jessore.

Mr. B. F. Guise, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Durbhunga, is appointed to act, until further orders, as District Superintendent of Police, Tipperah, on being relieved of his present appointment by Mr. T. G. Charles.

Mr. W. F. Smith, District Superintendent of Police, on leave, is appointed to be District Superintendent of Police, Pooree.

LEGISLATIVE.—*The 24th November 1886.*—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Colonel the Hon'ble S. T. Trevor and the Hon'ble C. B. Garrett of their seats in the Bengal Legislative Council.

With the sanction of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General, the Lieutenant-Governor re-appoints the Hon'ble G. Irving and the Hon'ble Abdul Jubbar, under the provisions of the 29th, 30th, and 45th sections of the Indian Councils Act of 1861, to be Members of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations in the Bengal Division of the Presidency of Fort William.

With the sanction of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General, the Lieutenant-Governor appoints Mr. C. P. L. Macaulay, Mr. T. T. Allen, and Baboo Kali Nath Mitter, under the provisions of the 29th, 30th, and 45th sections of the Indian Councils Act of 1861, to be Members of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations in the Bengal Division of the Presidency of Fort William.

REGISTRATION.—*The 19th November 1886*—Moulvie Abdool Halim is appointed to be Rural Sub-Registrar of Bhuddruck, in the district of Balasore, with effect from the 1st proximo, from which date the Sub-divisional Officer of Bhuddruck will cease to be in charge of the sub-registry office at that place.

The 23rd November 1886.—Mr. W. H. Mackenzie, Temporary Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Lohardugga, is also appointed to be Sudder Sub-Registrar of that district, with effect from the 10th September 1886, *vice* Baboo Ashutosh Gupta, transferred.

ERRATA.—*The 19th November 1886.*—In the notification, dated the 17th May last, published at page 607, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem, appointing certain persons to be Rural Sub-Registrars, for Bhugwan Pershad Das read Bhagbat Persad Das.

In the notification, dated the 16th September last, published at page 1014, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem, appointing Baboo Akhoy Churn Roy to be Rural Sub-Registrar of Paikgatcha, in the district of Khoolna, for Akhoy read Abhoy.

EDUCATION.—*The 20th November 1886.*—The undermentioned gentlemen are appointed to be members of the District School Committee of Sarun:—

Baboo Trigunanund Upadhyaya, Zemindar.

„ Raghunath Sahai, Temporary Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector.

„ Roy Sham Bahadoor, Pleader.

„ Doorga Prosad, Pleader.

„ Sheonath Sahai, Pleader, *vice* Baboo Roghubans Sahai.

The 22nd November 1886.—Baboo Poresh Chunder Dutt, Rural Sub-Registrar, Palamow, Lohardugga, is appointed to be a member of the Branch Committee of Public Instruction in that sub-division, *vice* Baboo Ishan Chunder Kumar, resigned.

OPIMUM.—*The 19th November 1886.*—Mr. J. Cockburn, Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Benares Agency, is allowed privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 1st December 1886.

The 22nd November 1886.—Mr. H. Hastings, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Seetapore, is appointed to act as Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Ghazipore, during the absence, on furlough, of Mr. R. W. Nicholson, or until further orders, with effect from the date on which he joined his appointment.

This cancels the orders of the 28th ultimo, appointing Messrs. A. C. Bryson and J. E. Hand to act as Sub-Deputy Opium Agents of Ghazipore and Rai Bareilly, respectively.

MEDICAL.—*The 23rd November 1886.*—Assistant Surgeon Kali Prosanno Chowdry was in medical charge of the civil station of Burdwan from the afternoon of the 28th July to the forenoon of the 11th September 1886.

Assistant Surgeon Nund Lall Ghose is appointed, until further orders, to have temporary medical charge of the civil station of Tipperah, with effect from the forenoon of the 10th July 1886.

The following notifications are re-published from the *Assam Gazette* :—

No. 390.—The 8th November 1886.—Mr. J. C. Arbuthnott, c.s., Assistant Commissioner, is posted, on return from leave, to the Sudder station of the district of Kamrup.

No. 393.—The 9th November 1886.—Mr. B. G. Geidt, c.s., Assistant Commissioner, is posted to the sub-division of Jorhat, in the Shibsagar district, on return from furlough.

No. 394.—Mr. P. C. Lyon, c.s., Sub-divisional Officer, Jorhat, is transferred to the Golaghat sub-division, with effect from the date on which he is relieved by Mr. Geidt, and placed in charge of the Golaghat sub-division.

No. 395.—The 11th November 1886.—Mr. F. St. Clair Grimwood, c.s., Assistant Commissioner, is appointed to officiate, on return from furlough, as Deputy Commissioner of the Naga Hills district.

F. B. PEACOCK,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd November 1886.—With reference to paragraph 5 of the notification, dated the 27th July last, laying down rules for the examination of candidates for admission into the Subordinate Executive Service to be held in January next, it is hereby notified that Ooriya candidates will be allowed to translate from Ooriya (instead of from Bengali) into English.

F. B. PEACOCK,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd November 1886.—Baboo Kali Prasanna Chowdry, Deputy Collector, is appointed to be Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Noakhally, *vice* Baboo Chandra Bhusan Chakrabutty, on leave, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th November 1886.—The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, is re-published for general information :—

Corrigendum.—Substitute the following rule for Rule XXVIII, Part IV, of the revised Ecclesiastical Rules promulgated by Home Department Notification No. 103, dated 20th June 1885 :—

The rate of compensation for sittings for Roman Catholic soldiers shall be determined by the Public Works Department with reference to the value and description of the accommodation provided, subject to a limit of Rs. 3 per seat per annum, broken periods within a year counting as a year; but when sittings are occupied consecutively for any period exceeding twelve months, payment will be made for the number of months in excess of the year, for which the sittings are so occupied, at the rate fixed for the year.

P. NOLAN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th November 1886.—The Lieutenant-Governor, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, is hereby pleased to declare, under section 26 of the Indian Forest Act (VII of 1878), that the area specified below, which, in the notification of the 8th September 1883, published at page 773, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th September 1883, was declared to be a "Reserved Forest" under section 19 of that Act, forming part of the "Reserved Forest" then so declared under the name of the Horhap Forest, ceased to be a "Reserved Forest" from the 1st April 1886 :—

A piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 acre 3 roods, bounded as follows :

North.—A demarcated line, three hundred and fifty feet in length, skirting land occupied by village up-land plot No. 123, cultivation of Lodro Uraon, son of Bero, deceased, and Government waste.

East.—A demarcated line, three hundred and thirty-two feet in length, skirting land occupied by Government waste and village up-land plots Nos. 86 and 87, cultivation of Sokhua Lohra, and No. 85 of Banda Munda.

South.—A demarcated line, one hundred and eighty-eight feet in length, from a 'mahua' tree in the south-east corner to a small 'koinar' tree in the south-west corner. This line skirts land occupied by village up-land No. 230, cultivation of Lodro Uraon, son of Bero, deceased, and Government waste.

West.—Three demarcated lines skirting land occupied by, first, up-land Nos. 228 and 229 of Lodro Uraon, son of Bero, deceased, then up-lands Nos. 126 and 127 of Bunka Munda. First, a line northwards, one hundred and thirty-three feet in length, from the small 'koiaar' tree to a small 'pipal' tree on side of village path; then westwards for a distance of one hundred and thirty-three feet along this path; then northwards for a distance of one hundred and forty-eight feet to a pile of stones at the north-west corner of the site.

Note.—The piece of land thus excluded from the Reserve is given up to the village of Horhap in exchange for a plot of land two acres in extent in the said village, occupied as a site for the Forest Guard's house.

P. NOLAN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

The 20th November 1886.—Resolution dated the 5th November 1886, on the Progress Report of Forest Administration in Bengal for 1885-86—

Paragraph 7—for 73·9 read 86·4, and omit the marginal note.

P. NOLAN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 22nd November 1886.—Under section 3 of Bengal Act V of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of the lands situated in the Government estate of Angul in the Tributary Mehals of Cuttack in Orissa, and that the boundaries of estates, tenures, mouzahs and fields be demarcated on the lands so to be surveyed.

P. NOLAN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 22nd November 1886.—Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal orders that a survey shall be made of the lands referred to in a deed of compromise, dated the 11th March 1884, between the zemindar of Pandra, half estate (encumbered), district Manbhoom, on the one side, and certain ghatwals on the other side, and for the purpose of carrying out this survey, appoints, under section 4 of the abovementioned Act, (1) Mr. F. A. Slack, Divisional Settlement Officer, Chota Nagpore, to be a Superintendent of Survey with the full power of a Collector under the said Act; and (2) Baboo Kristo Chandra Ghose to be an Assistant Superintendent of Survey under the abovenamed Superintendent of Survey.

P. NOLAN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 22nd November 1886.—It is hereby notified, under the provisions of section 4, Act IX of 1847, that the revenue survey of the district of Midnapore has been completed, and has been approved by Government on this date.

P. NOLAN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd November 1886.—With reference to the Government notification, dated 6th May 1886, published at page 533, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* for the 12th May 1886, Deputy Collector Moonshee Nundjee is hereby appointed to be a Settlement Officer under Rule 1, Chapter VI of the Rules made by Government under the Bengal Tenancy Act, for the purpose of making a survey, record of rights, settlement of rents, and determination of proprietors' private lands in the Government estate of Chur Nulchera, in the Noakhally district.

P. NOLAN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

The 19th November 1886.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the post-office building in the village of Baniapur, pergunnah Goah, zillah Sarun, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the fields of Lal Behari Koeri; on the east by the fields of Lal Behari Koeri; on the south by the fields of Lal Behari Koeri; on the west by the post-office building, is required within the aforesaid village of Baniapur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

P. NOLAN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

The 22nd November 1886.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Commissioners for the Improvement of the Port of Calcutta for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Kidderpore Docks, in the village of Brajadham in the Suburbs of Calcutta, district 24-Per-gunnahs, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring 9 bighas, more or less, is required. It is bounded on the north by the property of the Bhookoilash Rajahs held by Thakur Dass Bairagi and Debi Dass Dhopa; on the east by Mithapukar Road; on the south by Circular Garden Reach Road; and on the west by the property of the late Rashmoni Dasi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd November 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 74).

SOUTH COAST OF ARABIA.

GULF OF ADEN.

OUTER HARBOUR OF ADEN.

Removal of wreck in harbour.

WITH reference to this Department Notice to Mariners, No. 71, published on the 8th November 1886, telegraphic information has been received from the Director of the Indian Marine, Bombay, that the steam-ship *Prins Hendrick*, which sunk by collision with the steamer *Hubbuda* in the outer harbour of Aden on the 1st November with Aden light-ship bearing east, distant 1,100 yards, has been raised, and is now moored with the light-ship bearing S.-E.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

E. W. PETLEY, R.N.,
For Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 22nd November 1886.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th November 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 72).

BAY OF BENGAL.

BURMA COAST.

COAST OF ARAKAN.

PORT OF SANDOWAY.

Buoy marking River Entrance.

THE Deputy Commissioner, Sandoway, intimates that the buoy marking the river entrance to the Port of Sandoway is sinking from leakage

Note.—Mariners are warned that careful navigation is necessary.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, I.M., Captain,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 11th November 1886.

[Second Publication..]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th November 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 73).

SOUTH COAST OF ARABIA.

GULF OF ADEN.

OUTER HARBOUR OF ADEN.

Removal of Wreck in Harbour.

WITH reference to this Department Notice to Mariners, No. 48, issued on the 10th August 1886, telegraphic information has been received from the Director of the Indian Marine, Bombay, that the *lighter*, which sunk in the outer harbour of Aden with the light-ship bearing N. 61° E, distant 600 yards, has been removed.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,
ARTHUR W. STIFFE, I.M., *Captain,*
Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 11th November 1886.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 9th November 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 70).

CEYLON—EAST COAST.

TRINCOMALI HARBOUR.

Vessels prohibited from anchoring near the Sub-Marine Mining Operation between Ostenburg Point and Little Sober Island.

THE Colonial Government, Ceylon, has given notice that on and after the 1st November 1886, until the 28th February 1887, a red buoy with a red flag, and the words *Torpedo buoy* painted on it, will be placed at the entrance to Trincomali Harbour between Ostenburg Point and Little Sober Island to mark the boundary of the Sub-Marine Mining Field.

This buoy is laid at a distance of 250 yards from Little Sober Island, the waterway on the triangle formed by buoy, N. E. point of Great Sober Island and Clappenburg Point being obstructed by mines.

Caution.—Masters of vessels and others are warned that they should pass between the buoy and Ostenburg Point.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,
ARTHUR W. STIFFE, I.M., *Captain,*
Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 8th November 1886.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 9th November 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 71).

SOUTH COAST OF ARABIA.

GULF OF ADEN.

OUTER HARBOUR OF ADEN.

Sunken Wreck westward of Aden Lightship.

INFORMATION has been received from the Director of the Indian Marine, Bombay, that a steam-vessel lies sunk in a position dangerous to shipping with Aden lightship bearing East, distant 1,100 yards.

The wreck is in about 25 feet at low-water spring tides, with her mast-heads just above water.

The bearing is magnetic.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,
ARTHUR W. STIFFE, I.M., *Captain,*
Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 8th November 1886.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3392A.

The 17th November 1886.—Sheikh Rahmat Ali is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate for the Bench at the Sudder station of the Monghyr district, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

The 19th November 1886—Messrs. C. J. Keene and W. H. Chase are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates for the Bench at Saidpore, in the district of Rungpore, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

The 20th November 1886.—Baboo Amar Chunder Mookerji, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Tipperah, to be ordinarily stationed at Commillah, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Sasi Bhusan Sen, or until further orders.

Moulvie Wahedullah, Temporary Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Moorshedabad, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

The 22nd November 1886.—Under section 32, Act X of 1882, Baboo Kristo Chunder Dass, Munsif of Lohardugga, is empowered to pass sentences of whipping.

Baboo Durga Churn Ghose, First Munsif of Bassirhat, in the district of the 24-Per-gunnahs, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the amount of Rs. 50 within the local limits of the Bassirhat Munsifi.

The undermentioned gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates for the Bhubbua Bench, in the district of Shahabad, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class:—

Baboo Ram Sarun Singh.
„ Megh Narayan Singh.

Dewan Amir Hussain Khan.
Seikh Elahi Bux.

The 23rd November 1886.—The following officers are appointed, under the provisions of section 22, Act X of 1882, to act as Justices of the Peace within the territories under the Lieutenant-Governor's control:—

Mr. D. B. Allen, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector on special duty, Patna.

Major W. F. Dodsworth, Officiating Cantonment Magistrate, Dinapore.

Baboo Srigopal Chatterjee, Munsif of Sundeeep, Noakholly, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

ERRATA.—*The 18th November 1886.*—In the order of the 12th instant, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem, accepting the resignation tendered by Baboo Giridhur Sircar of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate for the Satkhira Bench, for “Ooloo-beriah, Howrah,” read “Satkhira Bench.”

The 22nd November 1886.—In the notification of the 12th November 1886, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem, appointing Baboo Durga Das Bose, M.A., B.L., to be a Munsif in the district of Bankura, to be ordinarily stationed at Kotulpore, for “to be a Munsif” read “to act as a Munsif.”

GRANT OF LEAVE TO MUNSIFS.—*The 13th November 1886.*—Baboo Nil Madhub Roy, Munsif of Purneah, is allowed leave for one month, under section 128, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 29th October 1886.

The 18th November 1886.—Baboo Aghor Chandra Hazra, First Munsif of Netrokona, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for twenty days, viz. eighteen days under section 73, rule 3, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, and the remaining two days under section 73, rule 1 of the same Code, with effect from the afternoon of the 18th instant.

F. B. PEACOCK,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 22nd November 1886.—Under section 2 of Act II (B.C.) of 1867 (an Act for the punishment of public gambling and the keeping of common gaming houses), the Lieutenant-Governor authorizes the extension, from the 15th December 1886, of the provisions of the said Act to the town of Jajpore, in the district of Cuttack.

For the purposes of the above Act, the boundaries of the town shall be the same as those fixed for municipal purposes.

F. B. PEACOCK,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 22nd November 1886.

No. 415.—*Leave.*—Mr. R. S. J. Routh, Executive Engineer, 4th grade, temporary rank, Tirhoot State Railway, is granted two months' privilege leave, with effect from such date as he may be allowed to avail himself of it.

No. 416.—*Notification.*—The following notifications of the Government of India, Public Works Department, are republished for information :—

No. 314.—*The 17th November 1886.*—Major A. D. McArthur, R.E., Executive Engineer, 1st grade, Bengal, is promoted to Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary rank, with effect from the 1st November 1886.

No. 317.—*The 18th November 1886.*—Mr. J. M. Montague, Executive Engineer, 4th grade, *sub. pro tem.*, State Railways, is, on return from furlough, transferred from the establishment under the Director-General of Railways to that under the Government of Bengal.

This cancels Public Works Department notification No. 307, dated 13th November 1886.

No. 318.—*The 18th November 1886.*—Mr. W. Chadwick, Assistant Engineer, 1st grade, State Railways, is transferred from the establishment under the Government of Bengal to that under the Chief Commissioner of Burmah for employment on the Tounghoo-Mandalay Railway.

No. 320.—*The 18th November 1886.*—Mr. W. A. Darling, Executive Engineer, 4th grade, *sub. pro tem.*, Bengal, is permitted to retire from the service, with effect from the 17th August 1886.

No. 417.—*Posting.*—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department notification No. 317, dated 18th November 1886, Mr. J. M. Montague, Executive Engineer, 4th grade, *sub. pro tem.*, is posted to the Tirhoot State Railway.

CIVIL BUILDINGS.

The 23rd November 1886.

No. 419.—*Declaration.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Surnomoyee Hostel for Female Medical Students in Calcutta, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 9 cottahs 5 chittacks of the standard measurement, and bounded on the north by the Medical College Street, on the east by the Hostel premises, on the south by the Hostel premises and the Eden Hospital grounds, and on the west by the new Medical College Street, is required within the aforesaid Town of Calcutta, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

ESTABLISHMENT—GENERAL.

The 23rd November 1886.

No. 420.—*Posting.*—With reference to notification No. 412 of the 16th instant, Mr. J. C. Hewitt, Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade, is posted to the Second Calcutta Division, which he joined on the forenoon of that date.

S. T. TREVOR, Col., R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. Dept.

ESTABLISHMENT—IRRIGATION.

The 22nd November 1886.

No. 413.—*Posting.*—With reference to Bengal Government notification No. 396 of the 25th ultimo, Mr. G. A. G. Shawe, Executive Engineer, third grade, is posted to the Mahanuddy Division.

No. 414.—*Notification.*—Mr. T. Butler, Executive Engineer, 4th grade (temporary rank), Brahmini-Byturni Division, having returned from privilege leave on the forenoon of the 1st instant, the unexpired portion of the leave granted him is hereby cancelled.

IRRIGATION.

The 23rd November 1886.

No. 418.—*Declaration.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a retired line of embankment on the left bank of the Roopnarain in the village of Mellock, pergunnah Mondulghat, zillah Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 13 beegahs 16 kottahs 6 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north and south by the other land of the village of Mellock; east and west by the new constructed retired line of embankment on the left bank of the Roopnarain in mouzah Mellock, is required within the aforesaid village of Mellock.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. W. L. HARRISON, Major, R.E.,
Offg. Joint-Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 9208.—*The 18th November 1886.*—Assistant Surgeon B. N. Chowdhry made over charge of the Hooghly Jail to Surgeon R. Cobb on the afternoon of the 15th November 1886.

A. S. LETHBRIDGE,
Inspector-General of Jails, Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 7053.—*The 17th November 1886*—Assistant Surgeon Benode Beharee Dass, temporarily attached to the sub-division and dispensary at Jungipore, in the Moorshedabad district, is confirmed in that appointment.

No. 7057.—*The 17th November 1886.*—Assistant Surgeon Umes Chunder Banerjee, a Supernumerary at the Presidency, is appointed to have medical charge of the sub-division and dispensary at Behar, in the Patna district, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Amulya Chandra Champatia, absent on deputation.

A. J. COWIE,
Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

Circular Order issued by Authority of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

CIVIL.

No. 12, dated the 22nd September 1886.

THE attention of the officers presiding in the Civil Courts of the Lower Provinces of Bengal and Assam is invited to the Revised Rules* made by the High Court for their guidance in the exercise of their duties under section 287 of the Code of Civil Procedure, in supersession of the Rules published at page 584 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 7th July 1880, and at page 344 of the *Assam Gazette* of the 10th July 1880. It will be observed that the Rules come into operation from 1st October 1886.

A copy of the Revised Rules is appended to this Circular Order for facility of reference. The form of Proclamation of Sale previously prescribed will continue in use.

Revised Rules under Section 287 of the Civil Procedure Code.

1. Every application under section 284 of the Code of Civil Procedure for the sale of immovable property under attachment other than a tenure or holding to be sold in execution of a decree for arrears due in respect thereof under the provisions of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885), shall be in writing, and shall be verified in the manner prescribed by the Code for the verification of Plaints by the holder of the decree in execution of which the property is to be sold, or by some other person (approved of by the Court) if the Court be satisfied that he is acquainted with the facts mentioned in it.

2. Every such application shall state everything known, or believed by the person verifying the same to exist, which relates to the nature or affects the value of the property to be sold, and shall further state that he is not possessed of any further information regarding them.

3. Every person applying under section 162 of the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885) for the simultaneous attachment and sale of a tenure or a holding of a raiyat holding at fixed rates, or applying only for the sale of such tenure or holding already under attachment, shall, in such application, specify the registered and notified encumbrances subject to which the tenure or holding is to be sold. Such specification shall be verified in the manner prescribed by the Code of Civil Procedure of Plaints by the holder of the decree in execution of which the tenure or holding is to be sold, or by some other person (approved of by the Court) if the Court be satisfied that he is acquainted with the facts mentioned in it.

4. If, after the sale-proclamation has been published, any written communication regarding the property to be sold shall be received by the Court, which it considers material for purchasers to know, the Court shall cause the same to be read out when the property is put up for sale.

5. If the property to be sold is an estate or a share of an estate paying revenue to Government, and the revenue payable on account of such estate or share of an estate exceeds the sum of Rs. 500, the proclamation of sale shall be published in the local official Gazette.

The rule shall not interfere with the discretion of the Court under section 289 of the Procedure Code in directing, whenever it thinks fit, a similar publication of the intended sale of any other property or properties attached in execution of a decree.

6. Subject to the proviso in section 269 of the Code of Civil Procedure, sales of property in execution of decrees in the several Courts of each district (not being Courts of Small Causes), shall be held and commence at a certain day in each month, such day to be fixed by the District Judge or other principal Judge in the district, as regards his own Court and all other Courts sitting at the same place as his own; but as regards subordinate Courts sitting at other places within his district, he shall fix the day in consultation with the Judges of those Courts: Provided that, where two or more of such Courts are stationed in the same place, the District Judge may fix the time for sales in consultation with only one of them.

7. All property, except property of the nature specified in the proviso to section 269, Code of Civil Procedure, or in Rule 11, to be sold at each place of sale, shall be entered in lists for each place, the lists of movable and immovable properties being distinct. The lists shall be so prepared as to contain in regular order each item of property to be sold in execution of the decrees of each Court severally. Such lists shall be stuck up in the Courts where the sales are to be held—in the case of movables not less than 7 days, and in the case of immovables not less than 15 days, before the date fixed for the commencement of each set of sales.

8. At the stated hour upon each fixed date, the sales shall be commenced, and shall be carried on in the order stated in the lists above mentioned. No sale shall continue after sunset; but the sales shall be held from day to day, except when the Court is closed and until the lists are finished: Provided that this rule shall not interfere with the adjournment of any particular sale according to law.

9. The same days shall not ordinarily be fixed for the sale of movable and of immovable property.

10. Except as regards property of the kind mentioned in the next succeeding rule, sales in execution of decrees for all Courts sitting in Subder stations shall be held in the Court of the District Judge or other chief Judicial Officer. If, in other places, there are two or more subordinate Courts, all the sales in that place shall be held in such one of the Courts as may be selected by the District Judge. Where there is only one Court, the sales shall be held in that Court: Provided that the Court executing a decree may, if it see fit, for reasons to be specified in writing, direct, in the interest of the parties, that the sale be held at any other time and place within its jurisdiction, and, when acting under this last-mentioned proviso, shall, except for good reason to the contrary, give the preference as regards choice of time and place to the wishes of the judgment-debtor.

11. All sales of live-stock, agricultural produce, articles of local manufacture, and of other things commonly sold at country markets, shall, unless the Court otherwise direct, be held at such market in the neighbourhood of the place where the goods were attached, as may appear likely to be for the greatest advantage of the debtor, regard being had to the prospect of good prices and to the saving of expense in conveyance and carriage.

CIVIL.

Rule No 13, dated the 24th September 1886.

(d).—[Withdrawal of such attachment—Circular Order No. 3 of 8th February 1876.] Whenever the attachment of an estate or share in an estate is legally and formally withdrawn, such withdrawal shall in like manner be notified to the Collector.

After Clause (d), Rule 14, Chapter V, page 262, Civil Rules and Orders, insert the following:—

(e) Whenever any estate or share of an estate has been sold by any Civil Court in execution of a decree, such sale shall be notified by the Court to the Collector of the District in which such estate or share of an estate is situated, after the same shall have been confirmed under section 314 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 1st September 1886, Part I, page 966, and in the *Assam Gazette*, dated the 4th September 1886, Part I, page 742.

Sheriff's Office, the 3rd November 1886.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Criminal Sessions of the year 1886 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the first day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

GEORGE YULE, Sheriff.

শরিফ অফিস সন ১৮৮৬ সাল তারিখ ৩ নবেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে শুবো বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়াম ফোর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের কোর্টদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৮৮৬ সালের ১লা ডিসেম্বর বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্যন্ত সোণায়ানের কার্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৮৬ সালের ষষ্ঠ ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে কোর্টদারী মিডিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

UNDER section 14, Act IX of 1865, notice is hereby given that, subject to the orders of the Government, the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes at Kooshtea, Meherpore, and Chuadanga will hold sittings in the month of December 1886 on the days mentioned below, Sundays, holidays, and travelling excepted:—

From	1st to 9th December	...	...	at Kooshtea.
"	10th to 17th ditto	...	...	at Meherpore.
"	18th to 24th ditto	...	...	at Chuadanga.
Again from	25th to 31st ditto	...	...	at Kooshtea.

PORESH NATH BANERJEE, Judge.

MEHERPORE SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 22nd November 1886.

TREASURY NOTICES.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABOO KHETTER MOHUN MITTER has been placed in charge of the Patna Treasury and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

F. M. HALLIDAY, Commissioner of the Patna Division.

PATNA COMM. 'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, the 16th November 1886.

BABOO DURGA DASS CHOWDRY, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Tipperah Treasury and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

D. R. LYALL, Officiating Commissioner.

COMM. 'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG, the 12th November 1886.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 8th November 1886.—Baboo Mahendra Nath Sen, Head Clerk of the Calcutta Madrasah (class VI), having returned to duty on the forenoon of the 2nd November 1886, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 11th August last is cancelled.

Baboo Ram Jadu Bhattacharjea, Sixth Master of the Hindu School (class VI), is allowed leave of absence for one month, under sections 128 and 129, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st November 1886.

Baboo Satkari Chandra Ghosh, B.A., Additional Master of the Hindu School (class VII), is appointed to officiate as Sixth Master of the same institution, and in class VI, *vice* Baboo Ram Jadu Bhattacharjea, on leave.

Baboo Jadu Nath Roy, B.A., is appointed to officiate as Additional Master of the Hindu School, and in class VII, *vice* Baboo Satkari Chandra Ghosh, B.A., on deputation.

Baboo Hira Lal Pal, B.A., Third Master of the Howrah Zillah School (class VI), was on leave of absence for one week, under sections 128 and 129, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 28th October last.

Baboo Tarapada Chatterjea, B.A., acted as Third Master of the Howrah Zillah School, and in class VI, *vice* Baboo Hira Lal Pal, B.A., on leave.

The 16th November 1886.—Baboo Karali Charan Sarkar, Fourth Master of the Chupra Zillah School (class VI), is allowed leave of absence for three months, under sections 128 and 129, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that granted to him under the orders of the 16th August last.

The 18th November 1886.—Baboo Bidyadhar Das, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Furreedpore, and now Officiating Assistant Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division (class IV), is allowed leave of absence for one month and twenty days, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from such date as he may be relieved of his present appointment.

Baboo Radha Kisor Chakravarti, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Chittagong (temporarily substantive in class V), will continue to act as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Furreedpore, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Bidyadhar Das.

The 19th November 1886.—Baboo Mahim Chandra Chatterjea, B.A., Deputy Inspector of Schools, Tipperah (class V), is allowed leave of absence for one month and ten days, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 16th November 1886, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Baboo Prasanna Kumar Mazumdar, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Tipperah (class VII), is appointed to act as Deputy Inspector of Schools, Tipperah, and in class V, *vice* Baboo Mahim Chandra Chatterjea, B.A., on leave, or until further orders.

Mr. E. Cleghorn, Head Master of the Colinga Branch School (class V), is allowed leave of absence for four months, under section 134, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 10th August last.

Moulvi Ishan Ali, Second Master of the Colinga Branch School, is appointed to act as Head Master of the same institution, and in class VI, with effect from the 10th August last, *vice* Mr. E. Cleghorn, on leave.

A. CROFT,
Director of Public Instruction.

Government Engineering College, Seebpore.

AN examination for admission to the Mechanical Apprentice Department will be held at the College on Monday and Tuesday, the 17th and 18th January 1887.

Candidates must apply in writing to the Principal of the College, not later than the 10th January 1887, for permission to appear at the examination, enclosing a certificate of good conduct and a certificate of age.

For admission to this department, candidates must be between the ages of 15 and 17 years.

The subjects of examination are—

Arithmetic	...	...	...	...	The whole.
Algebra	...	...	...	...	To Simple Equations.
Euclid	...	...	...	...	Books I and II.
English Grammar and Composition.					

Every applicant, before admission to the College, will be examined by the College Surgeon as to his physical strength, fitness for manual labour, and eye-sight. If this officer's report is unsatisfactory, the applicant will not be admitted.

There will be two vacancies on the free list for Christian students in February next, and eleven vacancies on the reduced fee list.

For Natives there will be fifteen vacancies on the reduced fee list.

These vacancies will be filled up by the Board of Visitors.

Further particulars will be supplied on application to the Principal of the College.

S. F. DOWNING,
Principal, Govt. Engr. College, Seebpore.

Supplementary List of Students who have passed the Final or Second Diploma Examination of the Dacca Medical School in 1886, after re-examination in Surgery.

38. Nishi Kantha Das.
39. Kailas Chandra Nandi.
40. Durga Charan Chakravarti.

A. CROFT, Director of Public Instruction.

DARJEELING, the 2nd November 1886.

Behar Circle.

Notice to Private Students and Teachers who wish to appear at the next Entrance Examination

APPLICATIONS from those who wish to appear at the next Entrance Examination as private students or as teachers must reach the undersigned not later than the 31st December 1886.

Each application must be accompanied by a certificate from the Head Master of the last school at which the applicant (whether student or teacher) read, showing the class from which he left, and that all dues have been paid.

In the case of a teacher, a certificate must be produced, showing that he is a *bond fide* teacher, and has not temporarily taken up a teachership paid or honorary, merely to appear at the examination.

Those whose applications are accepted, whether students or teachers, will have to appear at the test examination of the nearest zillah school and pay a fee of Rs. 2 to the Head Master. If they pass the examination, their applications to the Registrar of the University will be countersigned.

JOHN VAN SOMEREN POPE,
Inspector of Schools, Behar Circle.

BANKIPUR, the 25th September 1886.

NOTIFICATION OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1282B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1884-85 will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall-street, on Thursday the 2nd December 1886, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,500 chests, viz.:—

			Chests.
Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory	...	...	2,350
Ditto ditto at the Ghazee-pore Factory	...	...	2,150
Total	...	...	4,500

2nd. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 30th November 1885, and published in the *Government and Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 7th and 17th December 1886, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 3-30 p.m. of Tuesday, the 7th December 1886, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 p.m. of Friday, the 17th December 1886.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.,

C. E. BUCKLAND, *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L.P., Fort William, the 25th October 1886.

Statement showing the Importation of Salt (Private Property) in Bond and Afloat on the River Hooghly subject to Customs Duty on the 15th November 1886.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	Government golahs.	Private golahs.	Afloat.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Punga	32,897	.....	7,45,829	7,78,726
Italian Kurkutch	6,21,831	.....	71,586	6,93,417
Bombay ditto	31,005	.....	52,085	83,090
Arabian and Persian Gulfs Kur- kutch and Muscat Rock ...	1,78,089	.....	1,90,244	3,68,333
Hamburgh Salt ... ..	.....	.....	1,79,673	1,79,673
French Salt ... ..	.....	.....	10,368	10,368
Total	8,63,822	.....	12,49,785	21,13,607

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

C. A. SAMUELLS, *Offg. Collector of Customs.*

CUSTOM HOUSE, CALCUTTA, the 22nd November 1886.

NOTIFICATION OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1982B.

Notice is hereby given that the 2nd and 3rd of December 1886 will be held at the Government Office, Calcutta, for the sale of the 2nd and 3rd of December 1886, at 11 a.m., and will comprise 1500 chests of—

Opium manufactured at the	2,350
Opium manufactured at the	2,100
Total	4,450



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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal,
the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

No. 3493A.

GENERAL.—*The 22nd November 1886.*—Baboo Radha Shyam Singh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is allowed leave for two weeks, under section 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 6th proximo.

The 24th November 1886.—Mr. A. Earle, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tajpore, Durbhunga, is allowed furlough for one year, under section 50, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

The 27th November 1886.—Lieutenant-Colonel W. Hopkinson, Deputy Commissioner, is posted to Singbhoom.

Mr. G. A. Grierson, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted temporarily to Howrah.

Mr. J. Pratt, c.s., has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough for three months.

Mr. W. H. A. St. John Leeds, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Burdwan, is transferred to the Sudder station of the district of Shahabad.

Mr. G. K. Lyon is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the Sudder station of the district of the 24 Pergunnahs on being relieved of his present appointment of Officiating Under-Secretary to this Government.

Mr. E. Geake, who has recently been appointed to be a member of the Covenanted Civil Service, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in the Burdwan Division, and is posted to the Sudder station of the district of Midnapore.

The 29th November 1886.—Mr. H. J. McIntosh, who has recently been appointed to be a member of the Covenanted Civil Service, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in the Burdwan Division, and is posted to the Sudder station of the district of Burdwan.

Mr. A. G. Chuckerbutty, who has recently been appointed to be a member of the Covenanted Civil Service, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in the Dacca Division, and is posted to the Sudder station of the district of Mymensingh.

Mr. F. M'Blaine, who has recently been appointed to be a member of the Covenanted Civil Service, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in the Dacca Division, and is posted to the Sudder station of the district of Backergunge.

Mr. A. P. Pennell, who was in 1885 appointed to be a member of the Covenanted Civil Service, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in the Dacca Division, and is posted to the Sudder station of the district of Dacca.

Mr. R. H. Anderson, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, and is posted to the Sudder station of the district of Purneah.

Baboo Gobind Chunder Bysack, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chandpore, Tipperah, on leave, is transferred to the Sudder station of the district of Chittagong.

The 30th November 1886.—Mr. A. D'B. Gomess, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector on special duty, is allowed leave for three months, under sections 46 and 72, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st December 1886.

Baboo Shamadhub Roy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jehanabad, Hooghly is transferred to the Sudder station of that district.

Baboo Poorno Chunder Mitter, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is appointed to have charge of the Jehanabad sub-division of that district.

Baboo Opendro Chunder Mozoomdar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Julpigoree, on leave, is transferred to Backergunge, and is appointed to have charge of the Patuakhally sub-division of that district.

This cancels the order of the 16th instant transferring Moulvie Mahomed to Backergunge, and appointing him to have charge of the Patuakhally sub-division of that district.

The services of Moulvie Wahedullah, Temporary Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Moorsheadabad, are placed at the disposal of the Revenue Department of this Government.

Baboo Chaku Lal Sarkar is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the fourth grade for employment under the Board of Revenue.

Mr. W. Maude, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Barh, Patna, was employed at the Sudder station of the district of Patna, from the afternoon of the 12th August to the afternoon of the 4th September last.

Baboo Manick Lal Pal, Temporary Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Purneah, is allowed leave for five weeks, under section 128, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 15th instant.

POLICE.—*The 27th November 1886.*—Inspector Gouripoda Chuckerbutty is confirmed in the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 23rd October 1886, *vice* Baboo Piary Mohon Bose, deceased.

Inspector G. M. Peters is promoted, substantive *pro tempore*, from the third to the second grade of Inspectors, with effect from the 23rd idem, *vice* Baboo Gouripoda Chuckerbutty.

The 30th November 1886.—Mr. R. F. Guise, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Durbhunga, is appointed to act as District Superintendent of Police, Pooree, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. W. F. Smith, or until further orders, on being relieved of his present appointment by Mr. T. G. Charles.

This cancels the order of the 23rd instant, appointing Mr. Guise to act as District Superintendent of Police, Tipperah.

Mr. H. C. Clogstoun, Assistant Superintendent of Police, is posted to Purneah, and is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Assistant Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 12th instant.

REGISTRATION.—*The 25th November 1886.*—Under section 7 of Act XV of 1865, the Hon'ble the Chief Justice appoints Mr. W. D. Blyth to be Registrar of Parsee Marriages within the local limits of the ordinary original civil jurisdiction of the High Court, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. A. Bourdillon, or until further orders.

The 30th November 1886.—Baboo Akhoy Coomar Chatterjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bogra, is appointed to be also Sudder Sub-Registrar of Bogra, with retrospective effect from the 6th March last, *vice* Moulvi Mahomed Serajul Huq, transferred.

MEDICAL.—*The 29th November 1886.*—Surgeon R. Macrae, Civil Surgeon of Julpigoree, is appointed to act as Civil Surgeon of Sarun, during the absence, on leave, of Dr. C. M. Russell, or until further orders.

Surgeon R. Cobb, Officiating Civil Surgeon of Hooghly, is appointed to be Civil Surgeon of Monghyr.

Surgeon W. Beatson, Officiating Civil Surgeon of Bhagulpore, is confirmed in that appointment.

Surgeon-Major A. Crombie, Civil Surgeon and Superintendent of the Medical School, Dacca, is appointed to act as Civil Surgeon of Hooghly, during the absence, on leave, of Surgeon-Major W. H. Gregg, or until further orders.

The 30th November 1886.—Surgeon J. Moorhead, Officiating Civil Surgeon of Hazaribagh, is confirmed in that appointment.

SANITATION.—The 30th November 1886.—Surgeon-Major F. R. Swaine, Civil Surgeon, Lohardugga, is appointed to have charge of the duties of the Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, Ranchi Circle, in addition to his own work, during the absence, on deputation, of Surgeon L. A. Waddell, or until further orders, with effect from the 17th September last.

The following notification is republished from the *Assam Gazette* :—

No. 71.—The 18th November 1886.—Mr. J. C. Arbuthnott, Assistant Commissioner, on return from privilege leave, reported his arrival at Gauhati in the forenoon of the 9th November 1886.

F. B. PEACOCK,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 26th November 1886.—The following order issued by the Government of India, in the Department of Finance and Commerce, is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 2519, dated Simla, the 13th August 1886.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Dept. of Finance and Commerce.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 46 of the Native Passenger Ships' Act, 1876, as amended by the Native Passenger Ships' Act, 1883, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following changes in the Rules framed under that section, and published in the Notification of this Department, No. 986, dated the 15th February 1884 :—

- (1) The words "Civil Administrative Medical Officer" to be substituted for the words "Surgeon-General" in Rule No. 40 of the above Rules, as amended by Finance Department Notification No. 1468, dated 30th March 1886.
- (2) The following words to be added to Rule No. 40, namely,—
Such license shall be renewable yearly, and shall be in Form No. III appended to these Rules; and
- (3) The following Form to be substituted for Form No. III appended to the Rules :—

No. III.

Form of License to be granted to medical officers proceeding in charge of native passengers.

The bearer of this _____, holding a certificate to practise medicine and surgery, _____ from _____ is licensed to have medical charge of pilgrims proceeding, under the provisions of the Native Passenger Ships' Act VIII of 1876, to _____ . This license holds good for one year from this date.

Dated _____

[Here enter seal of office.]

Signature of recipient.

Surgeon-General, or Secretary to Surgeon-General; in his absence, Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, or Officer in charge of office, or Port Surgeon.

NOTE.—In granting this license, preference should be given to medical graduates or licentiates of a University, or other recognised licensing body, provided they are men of good character and of some experience. But when such are not available, licenses may be granted to those who have passed the final examination of an Indian Vernacular Medical School, or who have qualified for the Subordinate Medical Department.

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NOTIFICATION.

The 27th November 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 75).

INDIA—WEST COAST.
COAST OF KATHIAWAR.
PORBANDAR HARBOUR.
Irregular Exhibition of Light.

INFORMATION has been received from the Bombay Government that in consequence of the glass of the lantern of the light-house at the harbour of Porbandar having sustained an injury during a cyclone, Mariners should not place implicit reliance on the exhibition, as the visibility of the light may be affected.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.,*
Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 26th November 1886.

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th November 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 76).

AFRICA—EAST COAST.
ZANZIBAR ISLAND—WEST COAST.
Breaking adrift of Chapani Island Buoy.

THE Bombay Government has notified that the North buoy marking the East end of Chapani Island reef, Zanzibar harbour, is reported to have disappeared.

Note.—In order to avoid accident, it is recommended that vessels should pass the channel with great caution.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.,*
Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 26th November 1886.

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th November 1886 —The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 77).

INDIA—SOUTH COAST.
TRAVANCORE DISTRICT.
CADIAPATAM OR MUTTUM POINT.

Further particulars of the dangers off Muttum Point.

WITH reference to this Department Notice to Mariners, No. 57, of the 16th October 1886, on the dangerous rocks between Crocodile rock and Muttum point, the following further particulars resulting from a recent examination by the Indian Marine Surveying steamer *Investigator* have been received:—

Crocodile Rock—Lies 3 miles S. W. $\frac{3}{4}$ S. of the Muttum point light-house, as formerly reported in 1882. A shoal of 3 fathoms having been found $3\frac{1}{2}$ cables S. by E. of Kotah island, the channel between Crocodile rock and this island is not recommended.

Kotah Island—Which is 12 feet high, is black and steep-to, with foul ground all round it within $4\frac{1}{2}$ cables; foul ground also exists $1\frac{3}{4}$ miles N. $\frac{3}{4}$ W. of this island. Kotah bears from the Cadiapatam light-house W. by S., distant $2\frac{1}{8}$ miles.

Adundah Island—Is low (8 feet high) and smooth and barely visible from seaward; foul ground extends $1\frac{1}{2}$ cables all round. Adundah bears from Muttum light-house S. W. $\frac{1}{4}$ S., distant $1\frac{1}{4}$ miles.

Rocky ground—Extends $1\frac{1}{2}$ cables off Cadiapatam point.

Note.—Only vessels bound to Kolachel or Cadiapatam should think of passing inshore of Kotah and Adundah islands.

The bearings are magnetic.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, *Captain, I.M.,*
Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 26th November 1886.

NOTIFICATION.

The 30th November 1886.—The following draft of revised rules for the grant of leases of lands for tea cultivation in Julpigoree and Darjeeling, and of arable lands in the former district, are published for general information; and it is hereby notified that the draft will be taken into consideration by the Government of Bengal on the 15th January 1887. Any remarks and criticisms which may be made by any person with respect to the draft should be submitted to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Revenue Department before the date specified above.

P. NOLAN,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

Rules for the grant of leases of waste lands for tea cultivation in the districts of Julpigoree and Darjeeling.

THE following rules for the grant of leases for tea cultivation in the districts of Julpigoree and Darjeeling supersede all those previously passed:—

1. The lands that are generally available under these rules in the district of Julpigoree are the unsettled lands, excepting reserved forests, which lie within that tract of country, bounded on the north by Darjeeling and Bhootan, west by the Teesta river, south by the State of Cooch Behar, east by the Sunkos river. Any lots of waste land belonging to Government, lying in any other parts of the district of Julpigoree, and which are not reserved for other purposes, may also be made available for tea cultivation under these rules.

The lands that are generally available in the Darjeeling district lie in the Kalimpong or Daling sub-division of the district, east of the Teesta. They are in two blocks, bounded as follows:—

I.—*North.*—The Labah forest block.

South.—The Lehti, Noam, Pugo, and Mal forest blocks.

West.—The Jeet Chu.

East.—The Nim Chu to its junction with the Chu Chu, then the Chu Chu to a point about $\frac{1}{2}$ miles below Ambiokh, then a line northwards up to the Ambiokh forest block, and thence southward the boundary of the Dalingkote forest block and the Goorobathan khas mehal: area about 19.95 square miles.

II.—*North.*—The Mo forest block.

West.—The East Nar block.

South and South-west.—The Mochu, up its junction with the Khoomanee.

East.—The Khoomanee and Rougo forest block: area about 8.50 square miles.

2. The following lands will not ordinarily be available under these rules:—

(a).—Lands which, by a notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, are held to constitute a reserve for the supply of timber, fuel, grazing, or any other article of general and public consumption.

(b).—Lands not included in the above category, but which now bear India-rubber trees or other valuable timber (such as sâl, khair, chelownee, sissoo, &c.) in considerable quantities and in compact blocks or patches.

(c).—Lands in respect of which any person or persons, or any village community, possess rights of occupancy, or such other rights or privileges as

render it impolitic or undesirable to grant such lands to any other person or persons for the purpose of tea cultivation.

(d).—Lands lying within a distance of 60 feet on either side from the centre of any public road or thoroughfare: provided that such road or thoroughfare shall have been constructed, or shall be kept in repair, from public funds.

(e).—Lands which the Local Government may at any time, by a notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, expressly exempt from the operation of these rules.

3. Every person, company, or association or promoter of a company or association, desirous of obtaining a grant of land under these rules, must in person, or by a duly authorized agent, present an application on stamped paper of the value of 8 annas to the Deputy Commissioner of the district in which the land lies.

4. The application must specify—

(a).—The name or names and address or addresses of the applicant or applicants, and of his or their authorized agent, if any.

(b).—The area, situation, and boundaries of the land applied for, as far as they can be ascertained without a detailed survey.

(c).—The particulars, if any, which may appear to the applicant to bring any part of the land applied for within the exceptions mentioned in Rule 2. The application must also state whether the land, or any part of it, is, or has ever been, cultivated in any manner.

As settled in 1883.

5. Every lot applied for must be compact and capable of being enclosed in a ring fence; and if any part of the land touches on a public road or navigable river, the length of such road or river frontage must not exceed one-half the breadth of the lot applied for.

6. Not more than 800 acres will ordinarily be granted to any one applicant, company, or association; and when more than 800 acres are applied for, the applicant must set forth specially the grounds for such application, and give *prima facie* guarantees that he possesses the requisite capital for working such larger area.

The Deputy Commissioner may, when he has reason to believe it to be necessary, demand such a guarantee when the area applied for does not exceed 800 acres.

As proposed in 1886.

5. Every lot applied for must be compact and capable for being enclosed in a ring-fence; and if any part of the land touches on a public road or navigable river, the length of such road or river frontage must not exceed one-half the breadth of the lot applied for.

The exact boundaries will be settled by the Deputy Commissioner, who will decide the point on a consideration of what is best in the public interests.

6. Not more than 800 acres will ordinarily be granted to any one applicant, company, or association; and when more than 800 acres are applied for, the applicant must set forth specially the grounds for such application, and give *prima facie* guarantees that he possesses the requisite capital for working such larger area.

The Deputy Commissioner may, when he has reason to believe it to be necessary, demand such a guarantee when the area applied for does not exceed 800 acres.

If, upon proceeding to survey and map out the grant, the Deputy Commissioner finds that it is desirable in the public interests, or for the sake of good boundaries, to include a larger area than 800 acres within the area to be granted on the application, it shall be in his discretion, with the sanction of the Commissioner, to grant to one applicant so much land, not exceeding 1,000 acres, as may be necessary to obtain good boundaries and to avoid waste, &c.

7. All applications for more than 800 acres will be forwarded by the Deputy Commissioner to the Commissioner, who, if he desires to recommend compliance therewith, will forward them to the Board of Revenue, who will take the orders of Government upon each case.

8. The holder of a grant of 800 acres shall not be debarred from applying for a second grant if he has complied with the clearance and other conditions of the preliminary lease in respect of the first grant. Tea lease-holders may obtain arable grants contiguous to their tea lots.

9. On receipt of an application for any area not exceeding 800 acres, the Deputy Commissioner must satisfy himself, as far as lies in his power, that the requirements of the rules have been complied with. If he considers that the application should be rejected, he will record an order to that effect, giving his reasons for such rejection. An appeal will lie from such order of rejection to the Commissioner of the division, if preferred within 30 days from the date of the order. If the Deputy Commissioner considers that an application for such area as it is within his power to grant should be entertained, or in the case of application for areas over 1,000 acres, when the orders of Government accepting the application are received, the applicant or his agent will be required to deposit the estimated cost of the enquiry referred to in the next rule, and the cost of survey and demarcation to be made as hereinafter provided. The amount to be so deposited must be calculated at one rupee per acre of the total area applied for. If the area is found to be greater, the sum of one rupee per acre must be paid on account of such excess area before a preliminary lease is granted.

Payments under this rule do not cover the cost of erecting permanent boundary marks under Rule 24.

In the event of the applicant withdrawing his application before any enquiry has been made under Rule 10, or in the event of its being found that the land has been previously applied for, the applicant shall be entitled to a refund of the survey fee paid by him.

If the cost of survey is not paid within one month of demand, the application may be struck off.

10. On receipt of the sum payable under the preceding rule, and of an agreement signed by the applicant, or by his authorized agent, to pay such further sum as may be required for the purposes above mentioned, the Deputy Commissioner will record an order appointing a tehsildar or other officer to visit the land, and to make full and detailed enquiries into its condition and circumstances.

11. The general object of such enquiry shall be to ascertain whether or not the land applied for can be granted under the rules in force; but the Deputy Commissioner may instruct the officer making the enquiry to furnish him with such other specific and detailed information as may seem to him to be necessary.

12. On completion of this enquiry, the officer making it will record the result thereof, and submit a report for the orders of the Deputy Commissioner. If the Deputy Commissioner, after considering the report, and after calling for such further explanations, oral or written, as he may deem necessary, shall be of opinion that the land applied for cannot be granted under the rules,

and should not therefore be surveyed, he will record an order to that effect. An appeal will lie from such order to the Commissioner of the division if preferred within 30 days from the date of the order.

13. If the Deputy Commissioner decides that the land applied for can be granted under the rules, and should therefore be surveyed, he will record an order to that effect.

14. The Deputy Commissioner shall at once send a copy of any order passed under Rule 13 to the Conservator of Forests, in order that an estimate may be made by the Forest Department of the value of any forest trees standing on the land. The Conservator of Forests will depute an officer to examine the land, and make a detailed report suggesting the average rate per acre at which payment should be made for such trees. Such officer, in valuing the timber, shall have regard to its present market value on the spot, and to the local circumstances of the case, the accessibility of the grant, and the prospect of markets for timber becoming available during the currency of the lease. The Conservator will carefully examine the report, and forward it to the Deputy Commissioner with such remarks and alterations as he may think necessary. If the Deputy Commissioner, on receipt of the Conservator's decision, sees reason to object to the proposed rate per acre, he may refer the matter to the Commissioner, who shall take the orders of the Board of Revenue and of Government on any point on which he and the Conservator may eventually differ.

15. If the Deputy Commissioner finds the land, or any part of it, in the occupation of any person or persons or of any village community, he will submit a full report of the circumstances for the orders of the Commissioner, stating in detail how he proposes to deal with such prior occupants; and if it is proposed to remove them, the compensation, if any, which the applicant undertakes to pay to such persons. If the Deputy Commissioner declines to propose the removal of such occupants, an appeal shall lie to the Commissioner within thirty days after the record of an order by the Deputy Commissioner declining to propose the removal. The Commissioner will report his orders in all such cases for the information of the Board of Revenue.

16. If any claim or objection be preferred under Act XXIII of 1863, the Deputy Commissioner will proceed to dispose of the same in accordance with the provisions of that Act.

17. The officer who made the enquiry provided for by Rules 10 to 12 will, on receipt of an order to that effect from the Deputy Commissioner, proceed to point out to the surveyor the boundaries of the land applied for, and such prominent features in it as may be useful for the purposes of the survey, and which should, in his opinion, be entered in the preliminary lease as hereinafter provided. The boundaries and other features above mentioned should be clearly marked and defined by the officer in presence of the surveyor, and the latter should be furnished with a list of them signed by the said officer.

As settled in 1883.

18. The surveyor will then proceed to make the survey and put up such temporary boundary marks as are necessary for that purpose. He must prepare a map showing—

- (a).—All natural features of the country lying within the boundaries as fixed by the officer who made the enquiry under Rules 10 to 12, *e.g.*, bheels, streams, forest clumps, &c.
- (b).—Such features of the country lying outside the boundary of the land to be surveyed as may serve to identify the latter and connect it with the revenue survey or other existing map.

The surveyor is bound to bring to the notice of the Deputy Commissioner any fact which may come to his knowledge in the course of the survey, rendering it advisable that the land he is surveying should not be granted under these rules.

As proposed in 1886.

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- (b).—Such features of the country lying outside the boundary of the land to be surveyed as may serve to identify the latter and connect it with the revenue survey or other existing map.
- (c).—The total area within the boundaries after deductions of areas for roads or other Government reserves, jotes, &c., and the net area of the grant.
- (d).—Points at which permanent or other marks should be erected by the lessee.

The surveyor is bound to bring to the notice of the Deputy Commissioner any fact which may come to his knowledge in the course of the survey, rendering it advisable that the land he is surveying should not be granted under these rules. He is particularly bound to bring to notice any need for public roads across the lands he surveys, and if the Deputy Commissioner concurs with the surveyor in this matter, the road or roads should be marked off on the ground and on the map, and the area to be occupied thereby should be deducted from the rent-paying area of the grant.

19. The map should ordinarily be on a scale of 16 inches to the mile. If possible, the surveyor's field book should be copied at the back of it. If not, a copy of the field-book should be attached to or accompany the map. If the map be made originally in the vernacular, the Deputy Commissioner will cause it to be translated into English.

20. On the map being completed, it must be checked by an officer appointed by the Deputy Commissioner. If found to be incorrect, it will be amended by the surveyor in conjunction with the officer above mentioned. If found to be correct, it will be laid before the Deputy Commissioner with the report of the officer who made the preliminary enquiry under Rules 10 to 12, and with all other papers connected with the case.

21. The Deputy Commissioner will then proceed to consider the application. A date for this purpose must be previously fixed by him, and due notice of it given to the applicant or to his authorized agent.

22. The Deputy Commissioner shall have power to reject an application at any stage of the proceedings under the rules, if he sees reason to do so, refunding in such case to the applicant the deposit made by him on account of survey, minus such an amount as it may seem to the Deputy Commissioner fair to retain in consideration of the expenses incurred. If, however, the application is rejected for a reason which could not reasonably be anticipated under these rules, no portion of the deposit money shall be retained. He is authorized to reject an application when he does not consider that there is a *bonâ fide* intention on the part of the applicant to cultivate in

tea the land applied for, or when it appears desirable to reserve the land for cultivation other than tea, or to preserve any forest standing on it. An appeal against every such order of rejection shall lie to the Commissioner of the division, if preferred within thirty days of the date of the order.

As settled in 1883.

23. If the Deputy Commissioner grant the application, he will without delay grant the applicant a lease in form G of the appendix, and call upon him to execute a counterpart thereof, which must be registered, and to pay for forest trees the sum assessed under Rule 14. Payment for these may be made by instalments with the sanction of the Board of Revenue, which will only be given when the Board is fully satisfied of the good faith and solvency of the applicant. In such case the dates and amounts of the instalments shall be endorsed upon the lease, and the lessee must covenant that, in the event of his throwing up his lease, all outstanding instalments shall be forthwith recoverable from him under the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1880, whether the timber on the grant has been cut by him or not; but he shall have no further right to fell or remove timber from the grant. When granting the lease, the Deputy Commissioner will also direct the lessee to mark out the land leased by a continuous trench, or in such other manner as the Deputy Commissioner may direct. Within three months of the grant of such lease the lessee must, on pain of forfeiture of all rights in the land leased, mark out the land as above directed, and

* These boundary marks shall ordinarily consist of a masonry platform at every point where more than two lots or patches of waste or other lands meet, with large stones or mounds at every angle and at every 100 yards of boundary line between such platforms and other marks.

the surveyor must test the correctness of the boundary line and permanent marks, and report the result to the Deputy Commissioner, at the same time pointing out to the lessee or his representative by written notice any corrections that may be required. If the corrections indicated are not made by the lessee or his representative within thirty days of the receipt of such notice, all rights in the land shall be liable to forfeiture to Government.

24. Whenever, after receipt of an application, as provided for in Rule 3, and after making such enquiries as he may deem necessary, the Deputy Commissioner shall be of opinion that there is no *prima facie* objection whatever to the grant under the rules of the land applied for, he may put the

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24. When granting the lease the Deputy Commissioner shall also direct the lessee to mark out the land leased, within three months of the granting of the lease, by a continuous trench, or by clearing the jungle for a breadth of at least twelve feet along the boundaries, or in such other manner as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, and by erecting boundary marks at the points indicated on the map.

These boundary marks may be of masonry, or of stone, or hollow iron telegraph posts filled with clay or shingle, as the Deputy Commissioner may direct; and he will decide on their shape and dimensions.

25. On the expiry of the three months, the surveyor shall test the correctness of the boundary lines and ascertain if the boundary marks have been erected and in their proper places, and report the result to the Deputy Commissioner, at the same time pointing out to the lessee or his representative, by written notice, any mistakes or omissions that may be found. If the mistakes or omissions are not rectified or supplied by the lessee or his representative within thirty days of the receipt of such notice, the lessee or his representative shall be liable to a fine, not exceeding Rs. 50 per day, from the date of the expiry of such notice till the requirements of the notice have been complied with. If at the expiration of thirty more days the mistakes and omissions are not rectified, the lessee's rights in the land will be liable to forfeiture.

26. Fines, cost of notices served, of clearing boundaries, of erecting or repairing boundary marks, or any other money that may become due from lessees to Government, shall be deemed to be a demand under the Bengal Council Act VII of 1880, or any other law that may be in force at the time, and shall be recoverable as such.

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applicant in preliminary and provisional possession of an area not exceeding one-eighth of the estimated area of the land applied for, with the object of enabling the applicant to make preparations for commencing cultivation and getting the land in order: provided that the applicant, before obtaining such preliminary possession, shall have erected such boundary marks as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, and that the amount of all estimated charges incurred in connection with such preliminary occupation shall have been deposited by the applicant: provided further that the applicant shall engage in writing to pay the cost of any trees felled, at such rate as may be determined by the Forest Department after inspection of the land under rule 14.

25. The order for, and conditions of, such preliminary occupation shall be in the form H in the appendix, and shall be addressed to the tehsildar or other officer appointed by the Deputy Commissioner. A copy of the order shall be delivered to the applicant, who shall, after receipt of occupation, acknowledge such receipt by signing a copy of the order and depositing it with the Deputy Commissioner.

26. If after the survey an applicant shall fail to comply with any request of the Deputy Commissioner made in accordance with the rules, or fail to deposit any sums of money for which the applicant is liable under them, within two months, the application may be struck off.

27. Grantees are not permitted to club or amalgamate their grants otherwise than by transfers duly registered, as provided for in the preliminary lease. Any unauthorized amalgamation will subject the holders of the grants in question to forfeiture of all rights in the lands so amalgamated.

28. In the event of the amalgamation of two separate grants held by two different lessees for the purpose of forming an association, the fee of two annas per acre, prescribed under the conditions of the lease for registry of the transfer, shall be levied on the aggregate area of both grants.

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28. The order for, and conditions of, such preliminary occupation shall be in the form H in the appendix, and shall be addressed to the tehsildar or other officer appointed by the Deputy Commissioner. A copy of the order shall be delivered to the applicant at the time of giving preliminary possession by the officer who gives it, the officer signing and dating it then and there. The original order addressed to the tehsildar or other officer shall be signed by the applicant on the date he receives it in acknowledgment thereof, and the tehsildar or other officer shall forward such original order, with his report written on the back of it, to the Deputy Commissioner, for record in his office.

29. If any transfer of an application for land is desired before the grant of the preliminary lease, and if such a transfer is allowed,* it must be registered within twenty-one days of the issue of the order allowing the transfer, and a registration fee of two annas an acre must be paid.

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33. The lessee shall maintain the boundaries of the grant clear of jungle, and all the boundary marks in good repair. Where roads (kept clear of jungle) or streams do not form the boundaries, the lessee shall clear the boundaries of jungle at least once a year not later than the end of February in each year.

* No transfer will be allowed, for instance, when the proposed transferee already holds a Tea Lease Grant, 15 per cent. of the area of which does not yet contain growing tea-plants.

As settled in 1883.

29. The Deputy Commissioner should annually, or as often as possible, himself inspect, or cause to be inspected, the boundary lines and permanent marks referred to in Rule 23, and should he find any out of order, shall by letter instruct the lessee or his representative to place the same in order, and failing his doing so within thirty days of the receipt of the said letter, shall cause the same to be put in order, and shall recover from the lessee or his representative the cost of doing so, if need be, under the Public Demands Recovery Act.

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34. The Deputy Commissioner should annually, or as often as possible, himself inspect, or cause to be inspected, the boundary lines and permanent marks referred to in Rule 24, and should he find any out of order, shall by letter instruct the lessee or his representative to place the same in order, and failing his doing so within thirty days of the receipt of the said letter, shall cause the same to be put in order, and shall recover from the lessee or his representative the cost of doing so, if need be, under the Public Demands Recovery Act.

35. If the lessee is at any time found, by survey or otherwise, to be in possession of land in excess of the acreage for which he has paid rent, he shall pay rent at the rates payable by him for the grant itself for such excess land, whether it be within or without the boundaries described in the lease or map, from one year after the date he received possession (preliminary or otherwise) of the grant, or any portion of it, unless it is established to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner that no possession of the excess land was taken until after the grant of the renewed lease, in which case rent shall be payable from the date of the expiration of the preliminary lease. Provided that such unauthorized occupation of excess land, and payment of rent for it, shall give the trespasser no right to continued occupation, and the Deputy Commissioner shall be entitled, if he thinks fit to do so, to recover possession of the excess lands.

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*Form of Preliminary Lease of land in
granted by the Deputy Commissioner of
to (name) of (address).*

1. The lands covered by this lease are situated within the boundaries shown by the red lines in map No. , dated , and attached to the lease. The lands may be described as being bounded as follows :—

North.—

East.—

South.—

West.—

Their area is more or less acres, and they are situated in the pergunnahs and tehsils detailed in the margin.

If the lessee is found by survey or otherwise to be in possession of land in excess of the acreage herein declared, he shall pay rent for such excess land within or without the boundaries above described from the date of occupation at the rates entered in clause 3.

In case of dispute the date of occupation will be settled by the Deputy Commissioner, subject to an appeal, to be preferred within thirty days, to the Commissioner.

As settled in 1883.

2. The rights conveyed by this lease are heritable and also transferable: provided (a) that the entire grant, and not a portion of it, be transferred; (b) that the clearance conditions are duly observed by the transferrer and transferee respectively; (c) that the transfer is registered in the Deputy Commissioner's office within twenty-one days of the date thereof; and (d) that a registration fee of *two annas per acre* be paid to the Deputy Commissioner on the occasion of every such transfer. If any transfer of the rights conveyed by this lease is made otherwise than in accordance with the foregoing provisions, all rights in the land leased shall be liable to be forfeited to Government. After the expiry of this preliminary lease, no right shall be claimed otherwise than as expressly provided for hereinafter.*

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After the expiry of this preliminary lease, no right shall be claimed otherwise than as expressly provided for hereinafter.

3. The rent to be paid shall be as follows:—

Year of entry (i.e., from actual date of entry to 31st March following) ...	Nil.
1st full year (from 1st April following date of entry) ...	Nil.
2nd year ...	3 annas per acre.
3rd „ ...	6 „ „
4th „ ...	9 „ „
5th „ ...	12 „ „

In Jaldigoree.

The rent shall be paid to the tehsildar of or other officer appointed by Government in the following instalments:—

1st September ...	One-half.
1st March ...	„

In Darjeeling.

The rent shall be paid to the Deputy Commissioner in the following instalments:—

On or before 28th June ...	One-half.
„ „ 12th January ...	„

4. The lessee shall either himself reside on or near to the lands covered by this lease, or he shall appoint a manager or agent who shall reside on or near to such lands, and who shall be provided with a full legal power to act on behalf of the principal in all matters arising out of or concerning the lands covered by the lease.

5. The lessee binds himself to conform to all the provisions of the rules for the grant of tea leases under which this lease is granted.

* NOTE.—A shareholder in a registered Joint-Stock Company may transfer his shares, or any part of them, without registering the transfer or paying any fee under this rule. A partner in any other form of company or association may transfer his interest, or any part of it, but in that case the transfer must be registered under this rule, and a fee paid which shall bear to the maximum fee payable on transfer of the entire grant the ratio that the interest transferred bears to the sum of all the interests of the partners in the grant.
† For instance, a transfer to the holder of a tea lease for another grant of 800 acres, fifteen per cent. of which is not under tea plants, would be a violation of Rules 7 and 8.

6. Five per cent. of the area of the land leased shall be cleared by the end of the second year after the grant of this lease, and 10 per cent. by the end of the third year.

7. Any land covered by the lease which may at any time be required for a public purpose may be taken up by Government free of cost on a reduction being made in the rent payable under the lease, proportionate to the area taken by Government for the class of land taken. But the value of any improvements or property thereon shall be paid to the lessee, and shall be assessed under the provision of the law in force for the time being for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

8. All rights to minerals or quarries of all kinds are reserved to Government, together with such rights of way and other reasonable facilities as may be requisite for working, getting, and carrying away such minerals.

9. No right of fishery, and no right to dam up or otherwise obstruct the passage of any stream, is given by this lease. A public right of way over twenty yards on either bank of every stream, however much the bank may shift by action of the stream or otherwise, available at any time of the year for local boat traffic, is reserved.

Public access shall be allowed at all times to any springs of water on the lands leased, whenever such access is, in the opinion of the Deputy Commissioner, necessary for the convenient supply of good water to persons residing in the vicinity; and the lessee is bound not to injure the springs, or allow others to do so.

10. Standing timber must be paid for at the average rate per acre intimated to the lessees by the Deputy Commissioner before possession is given under this lease, unless, with the sanction of the Board of Revenue, payment by instalments has been allowed. In the latter case, payment must be made according to the schedule of instalments endorsed upon the lease. In the event of the lessee throwing up the lease while any instalments due to Government on account of timber are unpaid, the lessee hereby agrees that all such instalments shall forthwith become due and be recoverable from him under the Public Demands Recovery Act, 1880, whether all the timber on the grant has been cut by him or not. But he shall have no right of any kind over any timber on the grant, cut or uncut, after the date of his so throwing up the lease.

11. Whenever on an inspection being made the boundary lines and marks referred to in Rule 23 are found to be out of order, the lessee shall be bound to put them in order at his own expense on receipt of a requisition to that effect from the Deputy Commissioner. Should the lessee fail to do so within thirty days from the receipt of the requisition, the Deputy Commissioner shall cause it to be done, and if the lessee fails to pay, the Deputy Commissioner shall be entitled to recover from the lessee, under the Public Demands Recovery Act, all costs incurred in doing so.

12. The lessee shall be bound to furnish the Deputy Commissioner with information as to the births and deaths of residents in his tea garden, and as to progress and outturn thereof, in such form as may be approved by Government.

13. After the expiration of the second, third, and fifth year of the lease, the Deputy Commis-

sioner, or any officer appointed by him, shall enter on, inspect, and measure the areas cleared and under cultivation, and the lessee may at any time demand that such inspection and measurement be made. The expenses of any such inspections and measurements as are made before the due date on demand of the lessee (but of no others) shall be paid by the lessee as rent due. The Deputy Commissioner may at other times enter on, inspect, and measure the area under cultivation. If on any inspection being made during the first five years of this lease, or if on the first inspection being made after the five years, it is found that 15 per cent. of the total area held under the lease has been brought under cultivation by means of good husbandry, and actually bears tea plants, the lessee shall be entitled to the renewal of the lease for a further period of thirty years, and to renewals for similar periods in perpetuity, subject to the rules and the terms and conditions of renewed leases.

14. If, by the end of the fifth year after the grant of this preliminary lease, less than 15 per cent. of the total area held under it has been brought under cultivation by means of good husbandry, and less than 15 per cent. actually bears tea plants, the land may be resumed, or on the application in writing of the lessee, he may be allowed to hold on from year to year as a tenant-at-will for three more years, if he agrees in writing to pay rent at double the rates for which he would have been liable if he had complied with the condition about bringing 15 per cent. under tea cultivation. On the application of the lessee an inspection and measurement shall be made as soon as convenient after the expiration of any one of the three years, and the Deputy Commissioner may make such inspection and measurement of his own accord after the expiration of the third year. If after any such inspection and measurement it is found that 15 per cent. of the area bears tea plants, a renewed lease shall be granted on the terms that would have been in force if the condition had been complied with by the end of the fifth year. At the expiration of the three years all rights in the lands leased will lapse to Government, if 15 per cent. of the area does not then bear tea plants. The cost of all inspections and measurements made during the three years' grace shall be paid by the lessee.

15. All expenses connected with inspections and measurements, for which the lessee is liable under these rules, shall be recoverable under the Public Demands Recovery Act.

16. The rights and privileges conveyed by this lease, and by any renewed lease granted in accordance with its provisions, shall be liable to be forfeited on failure of the lessee to comply with any condition thereof.

TEA LEASE RULES.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF RENEWED LEASES.

1. Subject to any general or special orders of Government, the rent to be paid on the renewal of the lease for a term of thirty years shall be fixed by the Board of Revenue on the report of the Deputy Commissioner on each occasion of

renewal, but shall not exceed the rate* of rent per acre paid in the neighbourhood at the time of renewal for the highest class of lands under ordinary cultivation.

Provided that in no case shall the total rent payable under the renewed lease be less than twelve annas an acre on the entire area of the land leased.

If at any future time the administration of the tracts under tea cultivation should entail on the State any considerable increase of expenditure, it will be competent to the Government, with the sanction of the legislature, to impose such special taxation as may be deemed necessary, either by raising the rent or in some other mode. But under no other circumstances will the rent, which has been fixed for a term of years on the principle above enunciated, be raised during the currency of such term.

Lands actually planted with tea in the Dooars will for the present be assessed at the rate fixed for roopit land in the pergunnah wherein they lie. Waste lands will be assessed at six annas an acre in all pergunnahs, and the rest of the lands in each grant will pay the pergunnah rate of bastoo, bamboo, roopit, and faringhatta according to the area of the land answering to each of these descriptions that may be found in the grant.

In the case of the tract of Daling transferred to the Julpigoree district by Government notification, dated 9th January 1882, the rates to be imposed will, for the present, be those paid for similar lands in the adjoining pergunnah of the Dooars, on the principle just stated, waste lands paying six annas an acre.

The rate to be charged for the present in the case of lands in the Darjeeling hills is a single uniform rate of one rupee an acre for all the lands in the grant.

2. Where half the area of the grant has not been brought under cultivation during the term of the preliminary lease, as required by that lease, the renewed lease shall ordinarily include an area of waste land equal to the extent of land brought under cultivation during the currency of the preliminary lease. It will be in the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner, subject to the supervision of the Commissioner, to grant or refuse renewal of the lease in such cases, and also to include, if necessary, a larger area of waste, so as to make the grant under the renewed lease equal to the whole area granted under the preliminary lease. In the exercise of this discretion, the Deputy Commissioner should be guided by the consideration whether the excess waste is likely to be separately taken up by other applicants or

* The rates per acre paid at present in the Western Dooars of Julpigoree are as follows:—

DESCRIPTION OF SOIL.	In Ambaree, Fallacottah, Chengmaree, Moraghat, and North Mynagoree.	In Lukheepore and West Madaree.	In East Madaree and Chukwakatee.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Bastoo and bamboo...	2 0 0	1 12 0	1 8 0
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Faringhatta	1 2 0	0 12 0	0 9 0
Waste	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0

Deputy Commissioner's office within twenty-one days of the date thereof; and (d) that a registration fee of two annas per acre be paid to the Deputy Commissioner on the occasion of every such transfer. If any transfer of the rights conveyed by this lease is made otherwise than in accordance with the foregoing provisions and the rules, all rights in the land leased shall be liable to be forfeited to Government. After the expiry of this renewed lease, no right shall be claimed otherwise than as expressly provided for hereinafter.

3. The rent to be paid shall be as follows:—

In Julpigoree.

The rent shall be paid to the tehsildar of
in the following instalments:—

1st September	...	...	One-half.
1st March	...	...	„

In Darjeeling.

The rent shall be paid to the Deputy Commissioner in the following instalments:—

On or before 28th June	...	One-half.
„ „ 12th January	...	„

4. The lessee shall either himself reside on or near to the lands covered by this lease, or he shall appoint a manager or agent who shall reside on or near to such lands, and who shall be provided with a full legal power to act on behalf of the principal in all matters arising out of or concerning the lands covered by the lease.

5. The lessee binds himself to conform to all the provisions of the rules for the grant of tea leases under which this lease is granted.

6. Any land covered by the lease which may at any time be required for a public purpose may be taken up by Government free of cost on a reduction being made in the rent payable under the lease proportionate to the area taken by Government. But the value of any improvements or property thereon shall be paid to the lessee, and shall be assessed under the provision of the law in force for the time being for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

7. All rights to minerals or quarries of all kinds are reserved to Government, together with such rights of way and other reasonable facilities as may be requisite for working, getting, and carrying away such minerals.

8. No right of fishery, and no right to dam up or otherwise obstruct the passage of any stream, is given by this lease. A public right of way over twenty yards on either bank of every stream, available at any time of the year for local boat traffic, is reserved.

Public access shall be allowed at all times to any springs of water on the lands leased, whenever, in the opinion of the Deputy Commissioner, such access is necessary for the convenient supply of good water to persons residing in the vicinity.

9. Whenever on an inspection being made the boundary lines and marks referred to in Rule 24 are found to be out of order, the lessee shall be bound to put them in order at his own expense on receipt of a requisition to that effect from the Deputy Commissioner. Should the lessee fail to do so within thirty days from the receipt of the requisition, the Deputy Commissioner shall cause it to be done, and if the lessee fails to pay, the

Deputy Commissioner shall be entitled to recover from the lessee, under the Public Demands Recovery Act, all costs incurred in doing so.

10. The lessee shall be bound to furnish the Deputy Commissioner with information as to the births and deaths of residents in his tea garden, and as to progress and outturn thereof, in such form as may be approved by Government.

11. The rights and privileges conveyed by this lease, and by any renewed lease granted in accordance with its provisions, shall be liable to be forfeited on failure of the lessee to comply with any condition thereof.

RULES FOR THE GRANT OF ORDINARY LEASES OF ARABLE LAND IN THE WESTERN DOOARS.

PART I.

1. The lands that will be generally available under these rules lie within that tract of country in the Western Dooars which extends in an easterly direction from the east bank of the river Teesta to the west bank of the river Sankos.

What lands will ordinarily be available.

2. The following lands will not ordinarily be available under these rules:—

(a). Lands which by a notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* are held to constitute a reserve for the supply of timber, fuel, grazing, or any other article of general and public consumption.

(b). Lands not included in the above category, but which now bear India-rubber trees or other valuable timber (such as sâl, khair, chelownee, sissou, &c.), in considerable quantities in compact blocks or patches.

(c). Lands in respect of which any person or persons or any village community possess rights of occupancy, or such other rights or privileges as would, in the opinion of the Local Government, render it impolitic or unadvisable to grant such lands to any other person or persons.

(d). Lands lying within a distance of 60 feet on either side from the centre of any public road or thoroughfare, provided that such road or thoroughfare shall have been constructed or shall be kept in repair from public funds.

(e). Lands which the Local Government may at any time, by a notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, expressly exempt from the operation of these rules.

3. Every person desirous of obtaining a grant of land under these rules shall, in person, present an application on stamped paper of the value of eight annas to the tehsildar of the tehsil in which the land lies.

How and to whom application is to be made.

What the application is to specify.

4. The application shall specify—

(a) The name, father's name, and address of the applicant.

(b) The area, situation, and boundaries of the land applied for, as far as they can be ascertained without a detailed survey.

(c) A statement of the particulars, if any, which may appear to the applicant to bring the land applied for, or any part of it, within the

exceptions mentioned in rule 2. The application shall also state whether the land or any part of it is, or has ever been, cultivated in any manner.

5. Every lot applied for shall be compact and capable of being enclosed in a ring-fence; and if any part of the land touches on a public road or navigable river, the length of such road or river frontage shall not exceed one-half the breadth of the lot applied for.

6. *No application in respect of an area greater than 200 acres or less than 10 acres, and not more than this quantity of land, shall be granted under these rules to any one lessee. The Deputy Commissioner may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, grant a larger area than 200 acres, except in cases coming under clause 13 of the Preliminary Lease. In every case it shall be the duty of the tehsildar to satisfy himself that the applicant is possessed of sufficient means to cultivate the area applied for. Should the tehsildar be of opinion that a smaller area than that applied for should be granted, he will refer the point to the Deputy Commissioner for final orders.*

6. *No application for an area exceeding 200 acres or less than 10 acres shall be registered, nor shall a larger area than 200 acres be granted to any one lessee without the previous sanction of the Commissioner. In every case it shall be the duty of the tehsildar to satisfy himself that the applicant is possessed of sufficient means to cultivate the area applied for. Should the tehsildar be of opinion that a smaller area than that applied for should be granted, he will refer the point to the Deputy Commissioner for final orders.*

7. The tehsildar shall require the applicant to pay in a sum of three annas an acre on the area applied for to cover cost of survey and enquiry. No further sum shall be required *except the actual cost of the work described in Rule 9*, and no refund will be made.

8. The tehsildar shall then in person, or by an ameen, inspect the land and ascertain whether it is khas land and available under the above rules; and if it appear to be so, the ameen shall proceed to lay down the boundary and make a survey as follows.

9. The ameen shall fix the boundary, in accordance with the Rules 5 and 6, as indicated by the applicant, and shall then clear it from end to end, and afterwards survey it with compass and chain, placing mounds of earth or stone not less than waist-high at every angle and at every point where more than two lots or patches of waste or other properties meet. One mound shall be not less than six feet high, and shall be marked on the map as the base mark, two bearings of which, or bearing and distance of which from good points of reference, shall be recorded on the map.

10. The ameen shall prepare a map which shall show—

(a) All natural features of the country lying within or on the boundaries fixed, such as streams, or the edge of forests, and also public pathways.

(b) Such features of the country lying outside the boundary as may serve to identify the land and connect it with the revenue survey or with any other map made of other lands in the neighbourhood.

11. The map shall *ordinarily* be on the scale of 16 inches to the mile. If possible, the field-book shall be copied on the back of it. If not, a copy of the field-book shall be attached to or accompany the map. In submitting his report, the ameen shall state whether he had a clear line for his compass from end to end of the boundary, and whether the mounds are erected as ordered.

12. The tehsildar shall then report the case to the Deputy Commissioner or Sub-Divisional Officer according to the tehsil in which the land lies, stating whether he is satisfied that the ameen's work has been properly done, and giving any further information which may be required.

13. The Deputy Commissioner or Sub-Divisional Officer aforesaid shall consider the report, and finally pass orders granting or refusing a lease.

14. The order on the case and on any objection decided on by the Deputy Commissioner or Sub-Divisional Officer shall be appealable to the Commissioner within one month.

15. On receipt of an order to grant a lease, the tehsildar shall deliver to the applicant a preliminary lease in the form annexed, signed by the Deputy Commissioner or Sub-Divisional Officer as aforesaid, together with a copy of the map, and shall place him in possession by planting a bamboo or in any other way locally acknowledged, and shall report delivery and registration of the tenant in a separate register of preliminary leaseholders.

16. The Deputy Commissioner may in special cases of leases of 200 acres or less, and in all cases of leases of greater area, alter the terms of the lease so as to allow a lessee to manage his land by an authorised agent. In such case the agent must reside on or near to the land, and be provided with full legal power to act on behalf of the principal in all matters arising out of the land.

16. The Deputy Commissioner may, in special cases of leases of 200 acres or less, and in all cases of greater area, alter the terms of the lease so as to allow a lessee to manage his land by an authorised agent. In such case the agent must reside on or near to the land, and be provided with full legal power to act on behalf of the principal in all matters arising out of the land.

17. If the lessee is at any time found by survey or otherwise to be in possession of land in excess of the acreage for which he has paid rent, he shall pay rent at the rates payable by him for the grant itself for such excess land, whether it be within or without the boundaries described in the lease or map, from one year after the date he received possession (preliminary or otherwise) of the grant, or any portion of it, unless it is established to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner that no possession of the excess land was taken until after the grant of the renewed lease, in which case rent shall be payable from the date of the expiration of the preliminary lease. Provided that such unauthorised occupation of excess land and payment of rent for it shall give the trespasser no right to continued occupation, and the Deputy Commissioner shall be entitled, if he thinks fit to do so, to recover possession of the excess land.

18. If any transfer of an application for land is desired before the grant of the preliminary lease, and if such a transfer is allowed,* it must be registered within twenty-one days of the issue of the order allowing the transfer, and a registration fee of two annas an acre must be paid.

Draft form of preliminary lease of arable land in the Western Dooars.

1. A preliminary lease for five entire years of land in _____, granted by the _____ of _____ to _____ of _____

The lands covered by this lease are situated within the boundaries shewn by the red lines in map No. _____, dated _____, and attached to this lease, and may be described as being bounded as follows:—

North.—

East.—

South.—

West.—

Their area is more or less _____ acres, and they are situated in pergunnah _____ talook _____, in the tehsil of _____ in the Western Dooars.

* No transfer will be allowed, for instance, when the proposed transferee already holds an arable lease grant, half of the area of which does not yet contain growing tea plants.

If the lessee is found by survey or otherwise to be in possession of land in excess of the acreage herein declared, he shall pay rent for such excess land within or without the boundaries above described from the date of occupation at the rates entered in clause 2. In case of dispute the date of occupation will be settled by the Deputy Commissioner, subject to an appeal, to be preferred within 30 days, to the Commissioner.

2. The rights conveyed by this lease are heritable also transferable, and provided (a) that the entire grant and not a portion of it be transferred; (b) that the clearance conditions are duly observed by the transferor and transferee respectively; (c) that the transfer is registered in the Deputy Commissioner's Office within 21 days of the date thereof; and (d) that a registration fee of two annas per acre be paid to the Deputy Commissioner on the occasion of every such transfer. If any transfer of the rights conveyed by this lease is made otherwise than in accordance with the foregoing provisions, all rights in the land leased shall be liable to be forfeited to Government. After the expiry of this preliminary lease no right shall be claimed otherwise than as expressly provided for hereinafter.

2. The rights conveyed by this lease are heritable and also transferable, provided (a) that the entire grant and not a portion of it be transferred; (b) that the clearance conditions are duly observed by the transferor and transferee respectively; (c) that the transfer is registered in the Deputy Commissioner's Office within 21 days of the date thereof, or within three months of the final execution if the deed of transfer take place out of India; and (d) that a registration fee of two annas per acre be paid to the Deputy Commissioner on the occasion of every such transfer. If any transfer of the rights conveyed by this lease is made otherwise than in accordance with the foregoing provisions and the rules, all rights in the land leased shall be liable to be forfeited to Government. If any transfer not registered within the prescribed time is allowed by the Deputy Commissioner, a fine for the delay in registration, not exceeding one anna for every acre for every month of such delay, or any lesser sum, shall be payable by the transferee at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner. After the expiry of this preliminary lease, no right shall be claimed otherwise than as expressly provided for hereinafter.

The rent to be paid shall be as follows:—

Year of entry (i.e., from actual date of entry to 31st March following) ...	Nil.
1st full year (from 1st April following date of entry) ...	Nil.
2nd year ...	3 as. per acre.
3rd and 4th years ...	6 "
5th year ...	8 "

The rent shall be paid to the tehsildar of in the following instalments:—

3. The lessee shall himself reside on or near the lands covered by the lease. He shall keep all boundary lines or marks in good order and repair and clear off jungle, and shall, within one year from the date of this preliminary lease, make such continuous boundary mark as he shall be required to do by a written order. If he fail to do so, the Deputy Commissioner or Sub-Divisional Officer may cause the boundary to be made, and recover the cost thereof as an arrear of rent, or he may call on the lessee to make it within a specified time on pain of forfeiture of the lease.

The rent shall be paid to the tehsildar of in the following instalments:—

3. The lessee shall himself reside on or near the lands covered by the lease. He shall keep all boundary lines or marks in good order and repair and clear off jungle, to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner, and shall, within one year from the date of this preliminary lease, make such continuous boundary mark as he shall be required to do by a written order. If he fail to do so, the Deputy Commissioner or Sub-Divisional Officer may cause the boundary to be made, and recover the cost thereof as an arrear of rent, or he may call on the lessee to make it within a specified time on pain of forfeiture of the lease.

4. Any land covered by the lease which may at any time be required for a public purpose may be taken up by Government free of cost on a reduction being made in the rent payable under the lease proportionate to the area taken by Government. But the value of any improvements or property thereon shall be paid to the lessee, and shall be assessed under the provision of the law in force for the time being for the acquisition of land for public purposes.

5. All rights to minerals or quarries of all kinds are reserved to Government, together with such rights of way and other reasonable facilities as may be requisite for working, getting, and carrying away such minerals.

6. No right of fishery and no right to dam up or otherwise obstruct the passage of any stream is given by this lease. A public right-of-way over twenty yards on either bank of every stream, available at any time of the year for local boat traffic, is reserved. *Public access shall be allowed at all times to any springs of water on the lands leased.*

7. All sissoo, sâl, and chelownee trees of a girth of over three feet at a distance of three feet from the ground, and all such khair trees as may be fit to cut are to be paid for by the lessee at the rates at which they may be valued by the Forest Department. All other trees may be disposed of by the lessee. The four kinds of trees above specified shall be counted and paid for previous to possession being given.

8. The Deputy Commissioner may at any time, and shall as soon as possible after the expiration of the lease, enter on, inspect, or measure the area under cultivation, and the lessee may at any time demand that such measurement be made. Provided that the expenses of any such inspection or measurement demanded by the lessee shall be paid by him as rent due. If after such inspection by any officer deputed for the purpose it shall appear that one-half of the total area held under the lease is occupied by homesteads or is cultivated, or left fallow, according to good husbandry or otherwise fairly turned to account for agricultural purposes, the lessee shall be entitled to renewal of this lease for such further period as shall coincide with the termination of the settlement period then current, and thereafter to renewal for the period of each fresh settlement of the taluk, subject always to the following conditions:—

(a) The rent to be paid shall be fixed by the Deputy Commissioner on the order of Government on each occasion of renewal, but without the special order of Government shall not exceed double the rent previously paid.

(b) The title conveyed by the renewed lease shall be heritable and transferable, provided that no transfer shall be made of less than the whole, and that no transfer shall be valid as against the Government, but shall, on the contrary, be equivalent to a surrender of the lease, unless notification of the transfer shall have been given by the transferee to the Deputy Commissioner at the time of transfer together with a fee of two annas per acre of the area leased.

(c) In all other respects the conditions of the renewed lease shall be the same as those of the preliminary lease.

(d) Should the cultivated, fallow, and other land otherwise fairly turned to account be found on inspection and measurement to be less than one-half of the total area held under the lease, the whole or such portion of the said area as the Deputy Commissioner may decide, shall be liable to be resumed.

If the Deputy Commissioner grants under such circumstances a renewed lease to include an area of waste land in excess of the area brought under cultivation during the currency of the preliminary lease, then such excess area of waste lands will be assessed at the rates prescribed for cultivated lands.

6. No right of fishery and no right to dam up or otherwise obstruct the passage of any streams is given by this lease. A public right-of-way over twenty yards on either bank of every stream, available at any time of the year for local boat traffic, is reserved. *Public access shall be allowed at all times to any springs of water on the lands leased, whenever such access is, in the opinion of the tehsildar or the Deputy Commissioner, necessary for the convenient supply of good water to person residing in the vicinity.*

8. The Deputy Commissioner may at any time, and shall as soon as possible after the expiration of the lease, enter on, inspect, or measure the area under cultivation, and the lessee may at any time demand that such measurement be made. Provided that the cost of any such inspection or measurement as may be made before the expiration of the lease on demand of the lessee shall be paid by him as rent due. If after such inspection by any officer deputed for the purpose it shall appear that one-half of the total area held under the lease is occupied by homesteads or is cultivated, or left fallow, according to good husbandry or otherwise fairly turned to account for agricultural purposes, the lessee shall be entitled to renewal of this lease for such further period as shall coincide with the termination of the settlement period then current, and thereafter to renewal for the period of each fresh settlement of the taluk, subject always to the following conditions:—

(c) Should the cultivated, fallow, and other land otherwise fairly turned to account be found on inspection and measurement to be less than one-half of the total area held under the lease, the whole of the waste land, or such portion of it as the Deputy Commissioner may decide not exceeding half of the entire acreage of the jote, shall be liable to be resumed.

9. The rights and privileges conveyed by this lease, and by any renewed lease granted in accordance with its provisions, shall be liable to be forfeited on failure of the lessee to comply with any condition thereof.

10. If before the expiration of this preliminary lease, no application for a renewal of the lease shall have been made in accordance with the above provisions, the lessee may be allowed to hold as a tenant-at-will, but not otherwise, until other arrangements may have been made by the Deputy Commissioner.

11. The lessee may sublet any part of the land covered by this lease on such terms as he pleases, provided that he gives the same promise of renewal of the tenure to his sub-tenant on condition of bringing his land into cultivation as is given to himself by this lease. The rent to be paid on renewal shall be determined on the application of either party by the Deputy Commissioner, who has the power to fix equitable rates of rent as he has, under sections 76 to 79 of Act X of 1859, to fix terms of pottah.

12. No sub-tenant under the lessee shall sublet any part of his land on pain of forfeiture of his tenure; but this rule and the last shall not be held to prevent the employment of adhairs, projahs, and other labourers supplied with seed and paid by giving them half the crop. The Government reserve power to make rules to be observed by the lessee and his tenants for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this and the last preceding clause, and the lessee agrees to abide by such rules when published for general observance, and to hold the land subject to such rules.

13. *Tea may not be cultivated on the area covered by this lease if that area exceeds 200 acres.*

14. *No clubbing or amalgamation of grants is allowed, and all land bearing tea will be forfeited to Government if more than one grant becomes the property of the same owner.*

11. The lessee may sublet any part of the land covered by this lease on such terms as he pleases, provided that he gives the same promise of renewal of the tenure to his sub-tenant on condition of bringing his land into cultivation as is given to himself by this lease. The rent to be paid on renewal shall not be more than 50 per cent. in excess of the rent paid by the lessee to Government for the area leased.

12. No sub-tenant under the lessee shall sublet any part of his land on pain of forfeiture of his tenure; but this rule and the last shall not be held to prevent the employment of adhairs, projahs, and other labourers supplied with seed and paid by giving them half the crop. *If a sub-tenant under the lessee sublets any of his land, no suit or proceeding for the recovery of rent in money or kind on his part shall lie in any court.* The Government reserve power to make rules to be observed by the lessee and his tenants for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this and the last preceding clause; and the lessee agrees to abide by such rules when published for general observance, and to hold the land subject to such rules on pain of forfeiture.

14. *No clubbing or amalgamation of grant is allowed, and all land bearing tea will be forfeited to Government if more than one grant becomes the property of the same owner, except by inheritance.*

Terms and conditions of renewed leases of arable lands.

PART II.

1. Subject to any general or special orders of Government, the rent to be paid on the renewal of the lease shall be fixed by the Board of Revenue on the report of the Deputy Commissioner and Commissioner on each occasion of renewal, but shall not exceed the rates of rent per acre paid in the neighbourhood at the time* of renewal for the different classes of lands included in the lease.

* The rates per acre paid at present in the Western Doars of ulpigoree are as follows:—

DESCRIPTION OF SOIL.	In Ambaree, Fallacottah, Chengmaree, Moraghat, and North Mynagoree.	In Lukheepore and West Madaree.	In East Madaree and Chukwakatee.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Bastoo and bamboo ...	2 0 0	1 12 0	1 8 0
Roopit ...	1 8 0	1 4 0	1 2 0
Faringhatta ...	1 2 0	0 12 0	0 9 0
Waste ...	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0

2. The term of every renewed lease shall coincide with the unexpired period of the then current settlement in the pergunnah in which the lands are situated.

3. The title conveyed by the renewed lease shall be heritable and transferable, provided that the whole, and not a part, of the grant be transferred, and that no transfer shall be valid as against the Government, but shall, on the contrary, be equivalent to a surrender of the lease, unless notification of the transfer shall have been given and the transfer registered in the Deputy Commissioner's office within twenty-one days of the transfer, or within three months, if the deed of transfer be executed out of India; and that a registration fee of two annas per acre on the area transferred be paid to the Deputy Commissioner on the occasion of every such transfer.

4. Where half the area of the grant has not been brought under cultivation during the term of the preliminary lease, as required by that lease, the renewed lease shall ordinarily include an area of waste land equal to the extent of land brought under cultivation during the currency of the preliminary lease. It will be in the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner, subject to the supervision of the Commissioner, to grant or refuse renewal of the lease in such cases, and also to include, if necessary, a larger area of waste, so as to make the grant under the renewed lease equal to the whole area granted under the preliminary lease. In the exercise of this discretion, the Deputy Commissioner should be guided by the consideration whether the excess waste is likely to be separately taken up by other applicants or not. If it is likely to be so taken up, he should settle it separately; if it is likely to remain on the hands of Government, he should include it in the new lease.

5. When extra waste land is included in the lease under these orders, such portion of it as ought to have been brought under cultivation during the preliminary lease will be assessed at the rate prescribed for cultivated land, and not at the rate of waste land. Unless this condition is insisted upon, it is probable that lessees will neglect cultivation during the term of the preliminary lease, in the hope of getting a renewal of their tenure at lower rates.

6. The Deputy Commissioner may, in special cases of leases of 200 acres or less, and in all cases of leases of greater area, alter the terms of the lease so as to allow a lessee to manage his land by an authorised agent. In such cases the agent must reside on or near to the land, and be provided with full legal power to act on behalf of the principal in all matters arising out of the land.

7. In other respects the conditions of the renewed lease will be the same as those of clauses 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14 of the preliminary lease.

*Form of Renewed Lease of arable waste lands in
the district of Julpigoree granted to
of*

1. The lands covered by this lease, the term of which is years, viz., from 18 to , coinciding with the period remaining of the current settlement in the pergunnah in which the lands lie, are situated within the boundaries shewn by

the red lines in map No. , dated
attached to this lease, and may be described as
being bounded as follows:—

North.—

East.—

South.

West.

Their area is more or less acres, and they
are situated in pergunnah , talook in the
tehsil of in the Western Dooars.

If the lessee is found by survey or otherwise
to be in possession of land in excess of the acreage
herein declared, he shall pay rent for such excess
land within or without the boundaries above
described from the date of occupation at the rates
entered in clause 3.

He shall also be liable to eviction at the discre-
tion of the Deputy Commissioner from any
lands that he may have occupied outside the
boundaries specified in the lease. In case of
dispute the date of occupation shall be held to
be the date of giving or taking possession under
the preliminary lease, or where any subsequent
survey has been held, the date of the last survey
if the acquisition of such excess area be subse-
quent to such survey. All disputes to be decided
on this basis by the Deputy Commissioner, sub-
ject to an appeal, to be preferred within 30 days,
to the Commissioner.

2. The rights conveyed by this lease are herit-
able and also transferable, provided (a) that the
entire grant, and not a portion of it, be transfer-
red; (b) that the transfer is registered in the
Deputy Commissioner's office within 21 days of
the date thereof, or three months of the final
execution, if the deed of transfer take place out
of India; and (c) that a registration fee of 2
annas per acre be paid to the Deputy Commis-
sioner on the occasion of every such transfer.
If any transfer of the rights conveyed by this
lease is made otherwise than in accordance with
the foregoing provisions and the rules, all rights
in the land leased shall be liable to be forfeited to
Government. After the expiry of this lease, no
right shall be claimed otherwise than as expressly
provided for hereinafter.

3. The rent shall be as follows:—

		Rs.
Bastoo and bamboo acres at	...	
Roopit	do.	...
Faringhatta	do.	...
Waste	do.	...
		—
Total	...	—

The rent shall be paid to the tehsildar of
in the following
instalments:—

4. The lessee shall himself reside on or near to the lands covered by this lease. He shall keep all boundary lines and marks in good order and repair and clear of jungle, to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner. If he fails to do so, the Deputy Commissioner or the Sub-Divisional Officer may cause the boundary to be made or put in order, and may recover the cost thereof from the lessee or his representative under the Public Demands Recovery Act, or any provision of law for the time being in force for the recovery of arrears of Government revenue, or he may call on the lessee to put the boundary lines and marks in order by a specified date on pain of forfeiture of the lease.

5. Any land covered by the lease which may at any time be required for a public purpose may be taken up by Government free of cost on a deduction being made in the rent payable under the lease proportionate to the area taken by Government. But the value of any improvements or property thereon shall be paid to the lessee, and shall be assessed under the provision of the law in force for the time being for the acquisition of the land for public purposes.

6. All rights to minerals or quarries of all kinds are reserved to Government, together with such rights-of-way and other reasonable facilities as may be requisite for working, getting out, and carrying away such minerals.

7. No right of fishery and no right to dam up or otherwise obstruct the passage of any streams is given by this lease. A public right-of-way over twenty yards on either bank of every stream, available at any time of the year for local boat traffic, is reserved. Public access shall be allowed at all times to any springs of water on the lands leased, whenever such access is, in the opinion of the tehsildar or the Deputy Commissioner, necessary for the convenient supply of good water to persons residing in the vicinity.

8. This lease shall be renewable on a rent the rates of which, subject to any general or special orders of Government, shall be fixed by the Board of Revenue on the report of the Deputy Commissioner on each occasion of renewal, but shall not exceed the rates of rent per acre paid in the neighbourhood at the time of renewal for the different classes of lands covered by the lease. Provided that in no case shall the total rent payable under the renewed lease be less than eight annas an acre for the entire area leased.

9. The rights and privileges conveyed by this lease, and by any renewed lease granted in accordance with its provisions, shall be liable to be forfeited on failure of the lessee to comply with any condition thereof.

10. If before the expiration of this lease no application for a renewal of the lease shall have been made, the lessee may be allowed to hold on as a tenant-at-will, but not otherwise, until other arrangements may have been made by the Deputy Commissioner.

11. The lessee may sublet any part of the land covered by this lease on such terms as he pleases, provided that he gives the same promise of the renewal of the tenure to his sub-tenant as is given to himself by this lease. The rent to be paid on renewal shall not be more than 50 per cent. in excess of the rent paid by the lessee to Government for the area leased.

12. No sub-tenant under the lessee shall sublet any part of his land on pain of forfeiture of his tenure; but this rule and the last shall not be held to prevent the employment of adhairs, projahs and other labourers supplied with seed and paid by giving them half the crop. If a sub-tenant under the lessee sublets any of his land, no suit or proceeding for the recovery of rent in money or kind on his part shall lie in any court. The Government reserve power to make rules to be observed by the lessee and his tenants for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this and the last preceding clause; and the lessee agrees to abide by such rules when published for general observance, and to hold the land subject to such rules, on pain of forfeiture.

13. Tea may not be cultivated on the area covered by this lease if that area exceeds 200 acres.

14. No clubbing or amalgamation of grants is allowed, and all land bearing tea will be forfeited to Government if more than one grant becomes the property of the same owner, except by inheritance.

NOTIFICATION.

The 20th November 1886.—Mr. A. Pedler, Officiating Secretary, Bengal Economic and Art Museum, is allowed leave for three months, under sections 72 and 73-2, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 24th instant.

P. NOLAN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 26th November 1886.—Mr. A. Macdonell, Professor, Presidency College, is appointed to officiate as Secretary to the Committee of the Economic Museum, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. Pedler, or until further orders.

P. NOLAN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 30th November 1886.—Under the powers conferred upon him by section 101, sub-section 2, clause (d) of the Bengal Tenancy Act VIII of 1885, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order that a survey shall be made, and a record of rights prepared, in respect of all lands included within the boundaries of the Government estate Nabipore Hossein Tala, pergunnah Bordakhat, district Tipperah.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record of rights shall be the following:—

The name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest.

The situation, quantity, and boundaries of proprietors' private lands, as defined in chapter XI of the Act.

The name of each tenant.

The class to which he belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenureholder, ryot holding at fixed rates, occupancy ryot, non-occupancy ryot or under-ryot, and, if he is a tenureholder, whether he is a permanent tenureholder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure.

The situation, quantity, and boundaries of the land held by him.

The name of his landlord.

The rent payable.

The mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a court, or otherwise. If the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases.

The special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy.

P. NOLAN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 30th November 1886.—With reference to the Government notification of this day's date, Deputy Collector Baboo Sarut Chunder Dass is hereby appointed to be a Settlement Officer under rule I, chapter VI of the rules made by Government under the Bengal Tenancy Act, for the purpose of making a survey, record of rights, settlement of rents, and determination of proprietors' private lands in the Government estate of Nabipore Hossein Tala, pergunnah Bordakhat, in the Tipperah district.

P. NOLAN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

The 30th November 1886.—In the notification, dated the 15th November 1886, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem, declaring certain lands in Khoordah, in the district of Pooree, to be reserved forests under section 19 of the Indian Forest Act (VII of 1878), for "1st July 1886" read "15th December 1886."

P. NOLAN,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 30th November 1886.—Under the provisions of Rule III of the Rules of the 28th July 1879, made under section 25(i) of the Indian Forest Act (VII of 1878), the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the closing of the Reserved Forests of the Darjeeling Terai and Lower Hills (Kurseong and Teesta sub-divisions of the Darjeeling Forest Division), as well as those of the district of Julpigoree (Julpigoree and Buxa Forest Divisions) against hunting, shooting, and fishing from the 1st December 1886 to the 1st June 1887.

P. NOLAN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

The 26th November 1886.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the site of the cook sheds of the Treasury guard at Munshigunge, in the village of Kotegaon, thana Munshigunge, zillah Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 14½ chittacks of the standard measurement, bounded on the north by the Government pound; on the west by the tank of Masjid; on the east by the main road; and on the south by the road and grass land, is required within the aforesaid village of Kotegaon.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

P. NOLAN,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Under the provisions of section 9 of the Bengal Excise Act VII of 1878, and with the sanction of the Board of Revenue, a distillery, in which spirituous liquors may be manufactured after the native process having been established at Giridhi, in the district of Hazaribagh, it is hereby notified that from and after the 1st December 1886, within the following limits, which have been fixed with the sanction of the said Board of Revenue, no such liquors, unless manufactured at the said Sudder distillery shall be introduced or sold without a pass from the Collector, and no still shall be constructed or worked or spirituous liquors manufactured except at the said distillery.

Northern boundary.—A straight line drawn from Moheshmundu to Kormatand and thence to Khawa and from Khawa, to Muddunpore-Digwari post. The boundary includes the above places.

Western boundary.—A straight line drawn from Muddunpore to the Hazaribagh road at the Burrakur Ghât. The boundary includes both these places.

Southern boundary.—The Burrakur river from the point where the Hazaribagh road crosses it at Burrakur Ghât to its junction with the Oosru. The boundary includes Burrakur Ghât village.

Eastern boundary.—A straight line drawn from the Burrakur river at its junction with the Oosru river to Panchrukhee and thence to Moheshmundu. The boundary includes the places mentioned above.

HAZARIBAGH,

The 28th October 1886.

C. H. GARRETT, *Lieut.-Col.,*

Deputy Commissioner.

NOTIFICATION.

The 26th November 1886.—The following correspondence received from the Government of Bombay is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

No. 4023, dated Bombay Castle, the 17th November 1886.

From—J. DEC. ATKINS, Esq., Under-Secretary to the Government of Bombay, General Department,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Municipal Department.

IN continuation of my telegram of the 13th instant, I am directed to forward herewith, for the information of the Government of Bengal, copy of a Resolution of the Government of Bombay, No. 4022, dated 17th idem, and of the notification issued thereunder, regarding the enforcement of the B Quarantine Rules at Aden and Perim against arrivals from Calcutta.

Quarantine: Imposition of—at Aden and Perim against vessels arriving from Calcutta.

No. 4022.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 17th November 1886.

Telegram from the Government of India, Home Department, dated 16th November 1886:—

“Imposition of quarantine at Aden and Perim against arrivals from Calcutta, sanctioned.”

RESOLUTION.—A notification should be published in the *Bombay Government Gazette* bringing the B Quarantine Rules into operation at Aden and Perim against arrivals from Calcutta.

2. Copies of the notification should be forwarded to the Political Resident, Aden, and the other officers and departments concerned, for information, with reference to Government Resolution No. 3971, dated 13th instant. Copies should also be forwarded to the Governments of India, Bengal, Madras and Ceylon, and the Chief Commissioner, British Burma.

J. DEC. ATKINS,
Under-Secretary to Government.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 17th November 1886.

No. 4022.—In exercise of the power conferred by Act I of 1870, the following Rules for Quarantine against Cholera have been made by the Government of Bombay, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council: they will take effect from the 12th instant in the Port of Aden and at Perim as a temporary measure:—

I.—The Commander of every vessel, including buggalows or other native craft, arriving from Calcutta shall, before entering the harbour, indicate by signal the port from which such vessel has come.

II.—Such Commander shall not, except as hereinafter provided, allow any communication, either with the pilot boat, except orally, or with the shore, or with any other vessel or boat in the harbour.

III.—Immediately on arrival the Commander shall cause the letter R of the Commercial Signal Code to be hoisted, and shall keep the said flag flying during his stay in port, or until authorized by the Health Officer to haul it down. If communication with the shore is not desired, the vessel shall anchor at such place as may be pointed out by the Port authorities, having regard to the season of the year. If communication with the shore is desired, the Health Officer shall go alongside the vessel, and, after all necessary enquiries, shall direct the Commander to take the vessel to the quarantine anchorage duly appointed and notified in that behalf by the Resident, there to remain for a period of seven days from the date of arrival, or for the shorter period prescribed in Rule IV, and undergo disinfection, which should apply as well to crew, passengers, effects, and susceptible goods.

IV.—If the Health Officer of the Port has sufficient evidence that no cases of a suspicious nature have taken place on board during the voyage, and if the vessel is besides in good hygienic condition, the duration of the quarantine will be diminished according to the following scale:—

After eight days of voyage	...	...	six days of quarantine.
Do. nine ditto	...	...	five ditto
Do. ten ditto	...	...	four ditto
Do. eleven ditto	...	...	three ditto
Do. twelve ditto	...	...	two do.
Do. thirteen ditto and upwards	...	...	twenty-four hours of quarantine.

V.—If during the period a vessel is at the quarantine anchorage aforesaid, any case or cases of cholera should occur on board, the said vessel shall remain in quarantine for a period of seven days from the date of the last case occurring, and be subject to all the prohibitions provided for in Rule III.

VI.—When any vessel has been placed in quarantine as aforesaid, the Health Officer may direct the removal of so many of the passengers and crew as may not be suffering from illness, and whose services may not be required on board the vessel, to such particular spots as may from time to time be selected by the Resident as places of quarantine, there to remain for a period of seven days. If a case of cholera occurs among such passengers and crew during any such period, they shall remain in a place of quarantine for a period of fifteen days from the date of the occurrence of the last case of such illness.

VII.—Any mails or cargo which may be brought by any vessel so arriving shall be landed under such precautions as the Health Officer may deem necessary to prevent the spread of the disease.

VIII.—It will be the duty of the Port Officer to facilitate the conveyance to all vessels in quarantine of such supplies of provisions, stores, and other articles as may be required by those on board. Such supplies will be placed on the boats of the vessels in quarantine to be subsequently removed by members of their crews.

[Government Gazette, 30th November 1886.]

IX.—All vessels arriving at Aden and Perim, which may have communicated with vessels coming from Calcutta, shall be subjected to the same quarantine as vessels arriving at Aden and Perim from that Port.

X.—All vessels which have undergone quarantine in the manner above prescribed should have the fact clearly stated on their Bills of Health.

By order of His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor-General in Council,

T. D. MACKENZIE,

Acting Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATION.

The 26th November 1886 —In accordance with the provisions of section 47 of Act XII of 1875, the following statement of the receipts and expenditure of the Cuttack and Pooree Port Fund for the year 1885-86 is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

Statement showing the Receipts, Payments, the Opening and Closing Balances of the Cuttack and the Pooree Port Fund for the year 1885-86.

RECEIPTS.	Amount.	DISBURSEMENTS.	Amount.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Opening balance on the 1st April 1885 ...	5,577 13 2	Vessels and boats—		
Port dues on vessels	6,885 13 4	Establishment	2,286 9 7	
Fees, fines and forfeitures	3 0 0	Contingencies	348 2 0	
Boat hire	605 0 0	Dockyard services and supplies... ..	3,043 14 0	5,678 9 7
Sale proceeds of boats	80 0 0	General management—		
Miscellaneous	4 0 0	Port Officer	2,800 0 0	
Total receipts	7,577 13 4	Establishment	723 4 8	
		Contingencies	2,699 8 6	
		Postage stamps	35 11 6	
		Travelling allowance	118 14 0	6,377 6 8
		Light-house—		
		Establishment	311 8 0	
		Contingencies	39 12 0	351 4 0
		Medical—		
		Establishment	227 5 1	
		Contingencies	10 4 0	237 9 1
		Pension	408 9 0	408 9 0
		Total Expenditure		13,053 6 4
GRAND TOTAL	13,155 10 6	Closing balance on the 31st March 1886... ..		102 4 2
		GRAND TOTAL		13,155 10 6

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd November 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 74).

SOUTH COAST OF ARABIA.

GULF OF ADEN.

OUTER HARBOUR OF ADEN.

Removal of wreck in harbour.

WITH reference to this Department Notice to Mariners, No. 71, published on the 8th November 1886, telegraphic information has been received from the Director of the Indian Marine, Bombay, that the steam-ship *Prins Hendrick*, which sunk by collision with the steamer *Hubbuda* in the outer harbour of Aden on the 1st November with Aden light-ship bearing east, distant 1,100 yards, has been raised, and is now moored with the light-ship bearing S.-E.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

E. W. PETLEY, R.N.,
For Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 22nd November 1886.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th November 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 72).

BAY OF BENGAL.

BURMA COAST.

COAST OF ARAKAN.

PORT OF SANDOWAY.

Buoy marking River Entrance.

THE Deputy Commissioner, Sandoway, intimates that the buoy marking the river entrance to the Port of Sandoway is sinking from leakage.

Note.—Mariners are warned that careful navigation is necessary.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, I.M., *Captain,*
Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 11th November 1886.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th November 1886.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE TO MARINERS—(No. 73).

SOUTH COAST OF ARABIA.

GULF OF ADEN.

OUTER HARBOUR OF ADEN.

Removal of Wreck in Harbour.

WITH reference to this Department Notice to Mariners, No. 48, issued on the 10th August 1886, telegraphic information has been received from the Director of the Indian Marine, Bombay, that the *lighter*, which sunk in the outer harbour of Aden with the light-ship bearing N. 61° E, distant 600 yards, has been removed.

By direction of the Government of Bengal,

ARTHUR W. STIFFE, I.M., *Captain,*
Port Officer of Calcutta.

PORT OFFICE, Calcutta, the 11th November 1886.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 3494A.

The 27th November 1886.—Mr. E. Geake, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Midnapore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

The 29th November 1886.—The undermentioned officers are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class:—

Mr. H. J. McIntosh,	Assistant Magistrate and Collector,	Burdwan.
„ A. G. Chuckerbutty,	ditto	ditto, Mymensingh.
„ F. M'Blaine,	ditto	ditto, Backergunge.
„ A. P. Pennell,	ditto	ditto, Dacca.

The 30th November 1886.—Mr. E. H. C. Walsh, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sarun, is appointed, under the provisions of section 22, Act X of 1882, to act as a Justice of the Peace within the territories under the Lieutenant-Governor's control.

Baboo Chunder Coomar Dass, Additional Subordinate Judge of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for three months, under rule 1, section 73, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

GRANT OF LEAVE TO MUNSIFS.—*The 23rd November 1886.*—Baboo Bhuban Mohun Gangooly, Officiating First Munsif of Bhanga, in the district of Furreedpore, is allowed leave for one month, under section 73, rule 1, chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st January 1887, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

The 25th November 1886.—Baboo Chundi Churn Sen, First Munsif of Krishnaghur, in the district of Nuddea, is allowed leave for two months, under section 134, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st December 1886, or from the date on which he may be relieved.

Baboo Beraj Krishna Ghose, First Munsif of Cutwa, in the district of Burdwan, is allowed leave for six months, under section 134, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of the leave granted to him on the 29th May 1886.

The 29th November 1886.—Baboo Nilmadhub Roy, Munsif of Purneah, is allowed leave for one month, under section 128, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of the leave granted to him on the 13th instant.

F. B. PEACOCK,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT—RAILWAY.

The 29th November 1886.

No. 422.—Leave.—Mr. F. C. Rogers, Traffic Superintendent, Dacca State Railway, is granted three months' privilege leave, with effect from the afternoon of the 16th November 1886.

RAILWAY.

The 29th November 1886.

No. 423.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. requirement for the Assam-Bihar State Railway, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land measuring 3 roods 2 poles, situated in the undermentioned village, in the district of Purneah, is required.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act X of 1870, to all concerned.

Name of village.	Pergunnah.	District.
Kusba ...	Habeli ...	Purneah.

The 30th November 1886.

No. 427.—Declaration.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for station purposes of the Eastern Bengal State Railway, in the village of Geuokhali, pergunnah Hijillie, zillah Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purposes a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs 11 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north and east by the river Hooghly; south by the Government Irrigation bund; and west by the bazar belonging to the Raja of Mohashadal, is required within the aforesaid village of Geuokhali.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

S. T. TREVOR, Col., R.E.,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT—IRRIGATION.

The 26th November 1886.

No. 421.—*Appointment.*—Mr. J. H. Apjohn, Executive Engineer, 1st grade, having arrived at Bombay on the forenoon of the 22nd instant, the unexpired portion of the furlough granted him is hereby cancelled.

Mr. Apjohn is appointed to be Executive Engineer of the Balasore Division.

The 30th November 1886.

No. 424.—*Posting.*—With reference to notification No. 263 of the 14th October 1886 of the Government of India, Public Works Department, Mr. Graves Lempriere Searight, Assistant Engineer, second grade, from the Royal Indian Engineering College, who reported his arrival in Calcutta on the 16th November 1886, is posted to the Sone Circle.

No. 425.—*Posting.*—Mr. J. C. Vertannes, Superintending Engineer, class I, having reported his arrival at Bombay on the forenoon of the 22nd instant, the unexpired portion of the furlough granted to him in notification No. 57 of the 17th February 1885, is hereby cancelled.

Mr. Vertannes is placed on special duty from the forenoon of the 25th instant.

IRRIGATION.

The 30th November 1886.

No. 426.—*Declaration.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a sluice gate over the Satpukar khal, in the village of Rajarampore, Taraf Roghudebpur, pergunnah Hatiaghur, zillah 24 Pergunnahs, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two plots of land measuring, more or less, 15 bigahs 18 cottahs and 11 chittacks of standard measurement, are required. The land is bounded on the north by Deeree khal; east by the lands of mouzah Rajarampore, now held by Sridhur Bhandari; south by Deeree khal; and west by Deeree khal and Godbere, belonging to zemindar Tarini Charan Bose.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

C. W. I. HARRISON, Major, R.E.,

Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. Dept.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 7495.—*The 27th November 1886*—Assistant Surgeon Nilratan Adhicari doing duty at the Lunatic Asylum at Dacca is appointed to be Resident Assistant Surgeon in the Campbell Hospital, vice Assistant Surgeon Abinash Chunder Banerjee, transferred.

A. J. COWIE,

Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

Sheriff's Office, the 3rd November 1886.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Criminal Sessions of the year 1886 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Wednesday, the first day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

GEORGE YULE, Sheriff.

শরিফ অফিস সন ১৮৮৬ সাল তারিখ ৩ নবেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে শ্রবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়াম ফোর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের কোর্টদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তা জন্য আগামী সন ১৮৮৬ সালের ১লা ডিসেম্বর বুধবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৮৬ সালের বর্ষ ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেন এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে কোর্টদারী মিছিল করিবেন তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া যোকদ্দমা করে হইত।

জর্জ ইউল শরিফ।

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 14 of Act XI of 1865, that, subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of Small Cause Courts of Dacca and Munshigunge will hold sittings in those Courts in the month of December next as follows, excepting Sundays and holidays:—

1st to 19th and 30th and 31st	... at Dacca	Small Cause Court.
20th to 29th	... at Munshigunge	ditto.

MOHENDRO NATH MITTER, *Judge of Small Cause Court.*

DACCA SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 24th November 1886.

TREASURY NOTICES.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABOO NOGENDRA NATH PAL CHOWDRY has been placed in charge of the Rajshahye Treasury and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

HARIS MOHAN CHANDRA, *Personal Assistant.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHYE DIVISION, RAMPORE BEAULEAH, the 25th November 1886.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABOO KHETTER MOHUN MITTER has been placed in charge of the Patna Treasury and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

F. M. HALLIDAY, *Commissioner of the Patna Division.*

PATNA COMMR.'S OFFICE, BANKIPORE, the 16th November 1886.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 22nd November 1886.—Baboo Bhusan Chandra Karmakar, B.A., Second Master of the Noakhally Zillah School (class VII), is allowed leave of absence for three months, under section 128, chapter X of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st December 1886.

Baboo Uma Kanto Day, Third Master of the Noakhally Zillah School, is appointed to act as Second Master of the same institution, and in class VII, *vice* Baboo Bhusan Chandra Karmakar, B.A., on leave.

A. CROFT,

Director of Public Instruction.

Government Engineering College, Seebpore.

AN examination for admission to the Mechanical Apprentice Department will be held at the College on Monday and Tuesday, the 17th and 18th January 1887.

Candidates must apply in writing to the Principal of the College, not later than the 10th January 1887, for permission to appear at the examination, enclosing a certificate of good conduct and a certificate of age.

For admission to this department, candidates must be between the ages of 15 and 17 years.

The subjects of examination are—

Arithmetic	...	...	...	...	The whole.
Algebra	...	...	...	...	To Simple Equations.
Euclid	...	...	...	...	Books I and II.
English Grammar and Composition.					

Every applicant, before admission to the College, will be examined by the College Surgeon as to his physical strength, fitness for manual labour, and eye-sight. If this officer's report is unsatisfactory, the applicant will not be admitted.

There will be two vacancies on the free list for Christian students in February next, and eleven vacancies on the reduced fee list.

For Natives there will be fifteen vacancies on the reduced fee list.

These vacancies will be filled up by the Board of Visitors.

Further particulars will be supplied on application to the Principal of the College.

S. F. DOWNING,

Principal, Govt. Engr. College, Seebpore.

NOTICE.

A TEST examination of private students for admission to the ensuing University Entrance Examination will be held at the Office of the Inspector of Schools, 4, Dalhousie Square, on Wednesday, the 2nd February 1887. Only candidates from the districts of the Presidency and Chota Nagpur Divisions will be admitted to this examination.

2. Those only who have not read in any school since 1st November 1886 will be recognized as private students on their producing certificates to that effect from persons of respectability.

3. Candidates must send in applications at least ten days before the date fixed for the examination, stating the following particulars:—(1) Age, (2) residence, (3) father's name, (4) second language besides English, (5) school where he last read, and (6) whether he appeared at any previous Entrance Examination.

4. The admission fee for the examination is Rs. 4 each.

5. Candidates selected by this Office must one and all appear at the Calcutta Centre.

RADHIKA PRASANNA MUKHERJI, *Inspector of Schools,*
Presidency Circle.

4, DALHOUSIE SQUARE, CALCUTTA, the 26th November 1886.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1411B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Sale of Opium, the provision of 1884-85, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall-street, on Monday, the 3rd January 1887, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 4,750 chests, viz.—

Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory	...	...	Chests. 2,375
Ditto at the Ghazee-pore Factory	...	...	2,375
Total	...	...	4,750

2nd. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 29th November 1886, and published in the *Government and Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 18th January 1887, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room will be received after 1-30 P.M. of Saturday, the 8th January 1887, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Tuesday, the 18th January 1887.

4th. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Patna and Ghazee-pore Factories will be brought to sale up to December next about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.			Manufactured at the Patna Factory, about chests.	Manufactured at the Ghazee-pore Factory, about chests.	Total about chests.
On or about Tuesday, 1st February	1887	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Tuesday, 1st March	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Monday, 4th April	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Monday, 2nd May	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Thursday, 2nd June	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Monday, 4th July	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Tuesday, 2nd August	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Thursday, 1st September	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Thursday, 6th October	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Wednesday, 2nd November	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Thursday, 1st December	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
Total		...	26,125	26,125	52,250

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

C. E. BUCKLAND, *Offg. Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L.P., FORT WILLIAM, the 30th November 1886.

No. 1405B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1887 will consist of about 28,500 chests prepared at the Patna Factory, each chest of which is believed to contain 1 maund 18 seers 12 chittacks of pure opium, besides 9 seers 6 chittacks used for pasting the leaves of the shell, and about 28,500 chests prepared at the Ghazee-pore Factory, each chest of which is believed to contain 1 maund 18 seers 12 chittacks of pure opium, besides 9 seers 6 chittacks used for pasting the leaves of the shell; being of the two seasons 1884-85 and 1885-86 in the proportion marginally noted.

OPIMUM.
H. A. COCKERELL, Esq., C.S.I.

Opium manufactured at the Patna Factory.

	Chests.	Chests.
Reserve of 1884-85	...	14,312
Supply from 1885-86	...	14,188
		<u>28,500</u>

Opium manufactured at the Ghazee-pore Factory.

	Chests.	Chests.
Reserve of 1884-85	...	14,893
Supply from 1885-86	...	13,607
		<u>28,500</u>

Total ... 57,000

2. The dates on or about which the sales will be held, and the total quantity of opium as well as the respective quantities manufactured at the Patna and Ghazee-pore Factories, which will be brought forward for sale every month, are specified below. The Board of Revenue reserve to themselves the right of altering the dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so. In accordance with the notification of the Government of India, No. 1951, dated 17th July 1886, 2,375 chests of Patna and 2,375 chests of Benares opium will be sold monthly from January to December 1887:—

DATES.				Chests manu- factured at the Patna Factory.	Chests manu- factured at the Ghazee- pore Factory.	Total chests.
On or about Monday,	3rd January	1887	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Tuesday,	1st February	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Tuesday,	1st March	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Monday,	4th April	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Monday,	2nd May	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Thursday,	2nd June	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Monday,	4th July	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Tuesday,	2nd August	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Thursday,	1st September	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Thursday,	6th October	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Wednesday,	2nd November	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
On or about Thursday,	1st December	"	...	2,375	2,375	4,750
Total ...				28,500	28,500	57,000

The following are the conditions of sale:—

1.—The opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

2.—The opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 800 per chest, and sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for which provision is made by clause 13 of these conditions of sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

3.—The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M.; but if at that hour any of the lots advertised for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of the Board of Revenue, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday), at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or, if the whole quantity advertised shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Board of Revenue may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

4.—Each lot shall contain five chests.

5.—A Promissory Note for a sum, calculated according to the scale noted in the margin,

DEPOSIT.
When the amount bid is less than Rs. 1,200 per chest, Rs. 200 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,200 and upwards, but less than Rs. 1,600 per chest, Rs. 300 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 1,600 and upwards, but less than Rs. 2,000 per chest, Rs. 400 per chest.
And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional, to the extent of Rs. 400.

shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room and before the lot is registered in the sale-book, and all such Promissory Notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this Office by Bank of Bengal receipts or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India, on or before 3-30 P.M. in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the said notes must be redeemed by 1-30 P.M., or, on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank

of Bengal Receipts or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered